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Superintendent. Hongkong, let April, 1892. HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TYRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED. TIME TABLE.

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DILIGENTIA LODGE OF INSTRUC-

MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zotland Street, on THURSDAY, the 7th instant, at 5 quently convened. for 5.30 P.M. precisely.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1892. "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FOR SHANGHAI DIRECT. FTTHE Steamship

" GLENESK." Cantain Webster, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the lat April, at 3 P.M. For Freight or Possage, apply to -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkoug, 31st March, 1892. FOR SHANGHAI. THE Steamship

"ASHINGTON," Captain C. Zindel, will be despatched for the shove Port TO-MORROW, the 2nd April, at 4 For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, 31s March, 1892. THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR M INILA VIA AMOY.

FITHE Company's Steamship "ZAFIRO. Captain Cobban, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 2nd inst., at 5 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, 1st April, 1892. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW. НЕ Сошрану'я Steamship

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Chief Manager. Hongkong, 30th March, 1892.

LIMITED. HONG HOTEL, at Noon, THIS DAY (FRI-DAY), the 1st APRIL, 1892, for the purpose of

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from the 30th MARCH to 1st APRIL, holusive.

GEO. FENWICK. General Manager. Hongkong, 1st April, 1892

ING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held immediately after the con-clusion of the Ordinary General Meeting at the same place for the purpose of considering and

That the Capital of the Company be reduced from \$200,000 divided into 4,000 Shares of \$50 each to \$100,000 divided into 4,000 Shares of \$25 each." The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 25th inst.

Hongkong, 25th March, 1894. THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

subjoined Resolutions will be proposed. Should the Resolutions be passed by the re-

omred majority, they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a second Extraordinary Meeting, which will be subse-RESOLUTIONS.

1793 1,-That Article 86 of the Articles of Associastituted therefor the following:-"less than three, nor more than five." 2.-That Article 89 of the Articles of Associa-

tion be cancelled, and that there be substituted therefor the following:—
"89.—No person shall be eligible to be a "Director naless he be the registered "holder of not less than 25 shares." 3.—That in the second line of Article 91 of the thousand dollars" be cancelled, and that

"One thousand Dollars." words "The one-third or other nearest number" be cancelled, and that there be substituted therefor the words "the one

Director. -That Article 114A of the Articles of Assostituted therefor the following:-"114A.-The Directors may appoint any "Solicitor or firm of Solicitors to be the

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CANAL, and leaving Hongkong about the April at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the 20th instant.

Report of the Directors together with a State of the COMPANY'S OFFICES are This ment of Accounts to the 31st December, 1891.

The "MALACCA," leaving about the 15th ment of Accounts to the 31st December, 1891.

And Notice is hereby further given. That an No. 19. Queen's Road (entral, over the Store entry).

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Hongkoug, 12th December, 1891. LODGE, ZETLAND

REGULAR MEETING of the above A LODGE will be held in the FREEMA-BONS' HALL. Zetland Street, TO-DAY, the 1st APRIL, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 30th March, 1892.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. SPOON COMPETIT ON on SATUR-DAY, the 2nd April, at 200 and 500 yards. To be won by best net aggregate and best handicap (Short Range Cup points) aggregate respectively. Time, 3 P.M. ED. BOBINSON, Hon. Secretary.

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Hongkong, 19th March, 1892. ...

Hongkong, 29th February, 1892. MAIL TABLES MAL TABLES NOW READY. Paper. Va. 10 cents, Cardboard, 20 cents, Cash. Daily Press Office or Booksellers.

AUCTIONS.

Hongkong, 2nd February, 1892. -

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION. 10-MORROW

(SATURDAY), the 2nd APRIL, 1892, at Noon. at Messrs. CHOP YIK'S GODOWNS. WEST POINT, (for account of whom it may concern), ex S.S. Empress of Japan. .034 Bags CALIFORNIA FLOUR. Marked " Oregon Milling Comp ny." All more or less damaged by seawater.

GEO. P. LAMMERT. Auctioneer. Hongkong, 1st April. 1892. PUBLIC AUCTION.

TIME Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 2nd April, 1892, at 2.30 P.M., at their SALES ROOMS, No. 3, WYNDHAM

ind following STOCK OF WINES, ETC., belonging to the late Kerchong Mrss. Comprising:--HEIDSIECK'S CHAMPAGNE, BRAN-DY, BURGUNDY, OLD HIGHLAND (1848). HOCK, SAUTERNE, MUSCAT L,

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TERMS-Cash before delivery. GORDON & CO. Auctioneers. Hongkong, 30th March, 1892.

PUBLIC AUCTION. WHE Undersigned has received instructions PUBLIC ALCTION.

MONDAY, the 4th Arril, 1892, at 2.30 P.M., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, SUNDRY JAPANESE WARE, Comprising: KANGA, IMARI, KIOTO, and TOKIO VASES, JARS, PLATES, INCENSE BUR-NERS. THA and COFFEE SETS. GOLD and SILVER INLAID BRONZES.

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Tonckong, 30th March | 9: GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

THE following Particulars and Conditions of SALE of CROWN LAND, by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the Spot, MONDAY. the 4th day of April; 1892, at 4 P.M.,

are published. By Command, G. T. M. O'BRIEN. Colonial Secretary:

term of 999 Years.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 19th March, 1892. Particulars and Conditions of the Letting Bank Notes. All lots with all faults and errors by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, of description at Purchasers' risk on the fall the 4th day of April, 1892, at 4 p.m., by Order of the hammer and immediate delivery to be of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of taken of all the Lots. Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a

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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. 1239 tion)... 150 | 150 | 60 | 60 | 9000 36 720 LAST SALE OF FURNITURE (WITHOUT RESERVE). I' HE Undersigned has been instructed by the LIQUIDATOR to offer for Sale

commencing at 2:30 PM. at the FACTORY of THE MARINBURK FURNITURE COMPANY, LIMITED, No. 126, Wanchai Road, A varied collection of DRAWING, DINING, BEDROOM, HALL. AND OFFICE FURNITURE.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

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A quantity of FINE FERNS, and PLANTS. Mr. H. G. Dowler One Case PLATE GLASS. Catalogues will be issued previous to Sale and the lots will be on view on Monday next. a.m. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT.

Hongkong, 31st March, 1892. PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by.

PUBLIC AUCTION. MONDAY, the 11th APRIL, 1892. at Il A.M.. at the KWONG NAM SING MACHINE SHOP, LAP-SAP-WAN, WEST POINT. Under Bills of Sale. SUNDRY MACHINERY.

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1 SCREW CUITING LATHE. 2 DRILLING MACHINES. 2 PLANING MACHINE. I DOUBLE PUNCHING and SHEAR ING MACHINES. . ISTEAM HAMMER. 1 STEAM FINGINE and BOILER. VICES, DRILLS, BRASS COCKS, COP

PER PIPES. GUN METAL, BOLTS VUTS, NAILS, IRON PLATES, Assorted 757 IRON, TOOLS, &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE-Cash before delivery in

> J. M. ARVSTRONG. Anctioneer: Hongkong, 30th March, 1892. PUBLIC AUCTION. R. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received instructions from the Mortgages

PUBLIC AUCTION. TUESDAY, the 19th April, 1892, at the I remises, at 3 o'clock P.M., The following VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES.

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Nos. 11 and 13, Upper Lascar Row, and Nos 14 and 16, Lower Lason Row. Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, and situated on Inland Lot No. 248, as the same premises are now held A for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 10th June, 1843, grant-d therein subject to the payment of the Crown Rent payable in respect thereof and the performance of the Crown C. venants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing lettings and TYPHUS. INFLUENZA, DENGUE. tenancies thereof. separate Lots comprising two houses each, at the Antiseptic. Highly recommended by the Medioption of the Vendors.

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- Hongkong, 28th March.

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Mar. 31. NANSHAN, Writish stormer, 8(5; J.
Blackburne, Saigon 26th Mar., General.— Hop Hing Have Mar. 31, Esano, British ar., 1,127, G. P. yn. Wuhu 26th Mar., and Woosung 28th, Lice -JARDINE, MATRESON & Co.

Mar 31, DROT, Norwegian etc. 2,189, Hans n. Saigon 26th Mar. Rice. CHINESE. CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR MASTRE'S OFFICE. SIST MARCH Cosmopolit, German str., for Hohow. Chingping, Chinese str., for Cheft.

DEPARTURES. Mar. 31. ELSE, German str., for Nevchwang. Nos. 22 & 24, QUECN'S ROAD CEN'I RAL. Mar. 31, SOBACHY MARU. Japance str., for Mar. 31, KWANG-LEE, Chinese str., or Canton. Mar. 31, VELOX, German str., for Newshwang. Mar. 31, Pamiat Azova, Russian chiser, for

Mar. 31, Ctrox. British str., for Europe.

Mar. 31, SI-HGAN, British str., for Canton

PASSENGERS. Per Borneo, str., from Amoy. -100 Chinese Per Haiphong, atr., from East Coast. - Mr. Per Changsha, str., from Sydney for Hongkong.-Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Luke, Capt. and Mrs. Mann, Major and Mrs. George, Mr. and Mrs. Coulthard, Messrs, Chas Bigmore, W. Hagon, R. Harris, and F. Rinecker. From Brisbane.—

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Hongkone, April 1st, 1892. -title of a paper in the Californian Illustrated embark passengers, but this request was re-Magazine by the Rev. F. J. MASTERS, D.D. | fused on the ground that Chung Chow was formerly a missionary at Fatshan, but now not an open port, and when the liberty ac-Superintendent of the Chinese Mission at corded to the Perseverance was cited, they San Francisco. We need not concern our were met by the rejoinder that this was perselves with Dr. Masters's theories as to the mitted for the convenience of the Customs. origin of the disturbances, which are not Now it is quite true that Chung Chow i very original. Seeing that he has been not an open port, and it is quite reasonable a charge which has caused the arrest of cent. during the last 36 years, while that of silver absent from China-for a good many years he that the Customs should have facilities for their principal employé. On Monday even- has increased only 25 per cent., so that 110 per is not ontitled to sneak with any great degree reaching the island, but as the two Comof authority. His article might, however, he panies are running in competition it is cer. jewellery, diamonds, and other valuables which per once, instead of 214 to 1, or 434d, per once, useful in America for the purpose of placing | tainly not fair to make an exemption in favour the general reader in possession of informa. of one of them, and we think that a little retion on an intricate subject, were it not unfor. | flection will enable the Commissioner to retunately characterised by some inaccuracies cognise this fact. The privilege is a small-'of statement and some false reasoning which one and might surely be granted. Of course England, was never Viceroy of Nanking; it rather unnecessary agitation has been raised, was his uncle, Tseno Kwo-chuan, who-held that office. This is a trifling mistake due! to a confusion of names which may be O stenmer Lombardy left Bombay for this port readily pardoned. When, however, Dr. Masters repeats the well-worn but utterly false statement, that "bloody wars were dated March 7 says that the Nor h German he held the deeds." " waged with China to force her to legalise a Lloyd's steamer Eider, which went ashore some "trade in opium which the Emperor Taou successfully floated. "K sand saw would bring moral and financial "ruin to ber people," the offence becomes

lafter the second warit was at the request of the Chinese themselves, who considered that yesterday morning for Amoy. it would be better in their own interest to legalise the trade than to allow it to be continued on a sauggling basis.

opium question at present, however, and will pass on to what is the really im-The same being specially selected by our Chinese question in America. The fol lowing paragraph we may quote in full :--Time passed, and her people began to ment with hard labour. "come out of their shell. They dared to "claim the right to emigrate to Western. lands, just as Western people have gone Mess, Murray Barranks, this evening :-"to China; but they made money out of Overturo "Tanoredi" "us, just as our morchants make money out | Valse of the Chinese; and we have told them to Selection... "Paul Jones"........ Planquette. 'go. We treated her merchants as the "scum of the earth, and insulted her am- the Square at the back of the Barracks for the "enacted exclusion acts and anti-Chinese "urdinances that place these people under 'cruel disabilities, and which would call "out every ship in our navy if the Chi-"neso did such things to us. We have "varied their settlements, broken into their "homes, plundered their property, and mas-"we had bound ourselves by treaty to pro-

"Forgetting the scores of murdered Chinese

"hills, we burn with vengeance over the

" massacre of two white men in China. The

"only wonder is that the Chinese have

"not long ago risen up and swept every Quarts. Pints. foreigner out of their country. We Angle-"Saxons are indeed a nice lot of people!" The fact that Chinese have been ill treated and murdered in America is no reason why foreigners in China should not be accorded protection. And to do the Government of the United States justice, they have always Per doz. Per | endeavoured to prevent outrages, and when outbursts of mob violence have occurred and the Chinese have suffered compensation has been made. There is no suspicion that the President or other high officials of the Re- other Christian name, and ought therefore to public are in sympathy with riotous outbreaks against the Chinese, but a very strong suspicion is entertained that the outrages as Governors of British Colonies is really too against foreigners in China are approved by some if not most of the high officials of the empire, and it has even been hinted that the occupants of the Palace itself are not unfavourable to the movement. It is impossible on any grounds of equity to justify the Exclusion Acts in force in the United States and the Australian colonies, but the exclusion has been effected by force of law not by unbridled mob violence. Moreover, the position of foreigners in China and of the Chinese in America and Australia are not, as Dr. Masters suggests, quite parallel. The Chinese, he says, "dared "to claim the right to emigrate to Western "lands, just as Western people have gone "to China." But while the Chinese in Western countries, once they are admitted

Lare free to move about as they libe and to establish industries for eigners in China are restricted to a few specified ports, they cannot move about freely in the interior, obstacles are placed in the way of their establishing industries, and their intercourse with the natives is confined the colonies 78 years of age, and resident in An. amongst the European nations silver was allowwithin the marrowest possible limits. the whole of China there are not more than twelve thousand foreigners at the outside, and for that small number we claim the fullest protection at the bands of the Chinese Authorities. If the Chinese Govern ment has a cause of complaint against the United States on account of the treatment accorded to Chinese subjects, that is another question, to be settled on its own merits, but

it cannot justify the outrages in the Yang-

For some time past the Steam-launch Company's little steamer Perseverance, which extra copies of the Daily Press should runs between Hongkong and Macao, has been in the practice of dropping and taking up passengers at Chung Chow, the island opposite Lantao, on which there is a Customs station, and around which a large and populous village has arison. The Honge catered on a discussion with him, urging the less 50 per cent. required for arts, industry, and pany, desiring the same privilege, applied for permission to the Imperial Maritime "The recent disturbances in China" is the Customs for leave to stop there to land or

are calculated to produce an unwholesome it would never have been sought by the effect. The writer says :- "The late Marquis | Steamboat Company had not the rival car-"Tseno, formerly Ambassador to Eugland, rier been thus favoured. Here is an oppor-"was a Hunan man; and during the time he tunity for the Maritime Customs to make " was. Vicerov of Nanking he managed to some little return for the hospitality which "keep the rebets in check." But the late allows them to have an office in Queen's Marquis Tsens, formerly Ambassador to Road, concerning which concession some

> The Superintendent informs us that the P. & on the 30th March.

A London telegram in the Brisbane Courier leated by the defendant for property of which years they appear to be, in onness:—
lated March 7 save that the Nor h German he held the deeds.

Gold. Silver, time ago in the English Channel, has been peared for the plaintiff. The defendant, who

The March number of the Californian Illus- in this case. The solicitors for the defendant have giving quantitive values to silver against notaal trated Magazine well sustains the reputation of been served with a copy of these proceedings, but | values, in peace per cunce :-more serious. It is true that compensation the earlier numbers. The conductors sim at they are not here to-day. Notice was given and for opium' illegally destroyed, producing in San Francisco a magazine not served by Mr. Holmes's clerk, Mr. da Roza, on Mr. but it was not for the purpose of forcing if the excellence of the first four numbers is day, and the affiliavits are in Court as to the service of the first four numbers is day, and the affiliavits are in Court as to the service of the first four numbers is day, and the affiliar further consideration of China that England went to consistently maintained the success of the ven- vice. This, my Lord, is a further consideration of war with her but because the arrogance turn cannot be doubted. The March issue report. Mr. Bruce Shepherd was appointed by the It is believed the production of silver in 1891. of China rendered a conflict absolutely ever made by an illustrated magazine of the first are new of Name of N as it was before the outbreak of hostilitles, dealing, with scientific, political, and social, and social, and political and when the drug was inserted in the tariff subjects, and there are short teles, and position

The Russian flagship Pamial Asona left here

Mr. A. G. Wiss, Police Magistrate, left for home by the P. & O. steamer: Clyde yesterday. Captain Hastings will not for Mr. Wise during We are not specially concerned with the his absence.

A Chineso chemist from Singapore was charged A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED portant part of the article. Having run from the box of a fellow passenger on board the opponents, who played in determined, albeit yosterday before Mr. Wodehouse with stealing work out out to keep upon even terms with their 174 silver to 1 gold. Tup a heavy indictment against foreigners, Glenesk \$40 and several articles of jewellery. It erratio, fashion. Up to half time neither side whom be accuses of having for nearly was proved that a silver bungle, one of the things had socred, but on a change of ends F. Maitland missed, was found upon the defendant. Mr. Grist, put the ball through for the Club, and ima century bullied and plundered China, who defended, asserted that the charge arose out mediately afterwards Bose so red for the boys. Dr. Masters goes on to speak of the of a quarrel which had taken place on board, and No further point was recorded and the game things of the had no foundation in fact. His Worship, how-onded as already stated. Teams: ever, took a different view of the case and sentenced the defendant to six months' imprison-

> The hand of the 1st Shropshire L.I. will play the following programme at the Officers' Reminiscences of Weber"

The Band will not play the usual programme on bassadors at our very gates. We have purpose of dancing to morrow, but will play there twice next week, viz., on Tuesday and Saturday.

An ingenious trick was yesterday disclosed in the Police Court. A fow days ago a Chineman was wa king along Queen's Road when suddenly he dropped a ring and then picked it ip. Another man who was following pointed looked calmly on while mobs have in- out the occurrence to a woman who was near and suggested that they should claim a chare of the apparent "find." The woman fell into the trap and the finder was challenged, and a share was "sacred people as defenceless as babes, whom | demanded. It was agreed between the men that the ring was worth \$24 and they proposed to tect. Yet after all this we are disappointed them value. She agreed and handed over a the woman that she should take it and give "that China has no strong affection for us, silver bangle and other things worth altogether about S5. The men then went away to pawn It is a matter of regret that these are not final, but the articles and when the woman discovered | there still remain open some small items of account "whose bones lay bleaching on W.voming the trick she informed the police. Inspector with the London purchasers of the estate, which it Stanton ultimately effected the arrest of a taffor named Chang Man, upon whom a brass ring, identified by the complainant as the "gold" one, was found. Prisoner, against whom there were there is a cash balance in hand of two similar convictions, admitted the charge and was sentenced to twelve months' imprison-

> No doubt His Excellency the Governor, as well as the rest of the community, will be amused to read the following telegrams, taken from the Australian papers received yesterday :-

LONDON, 7th March. Sir William Robinson, Governor of Hongkong, is reported to be suffering from a serious attack of typhoidal malaria. LONDON, 16th March. Sir William Bobinson, who has been soriously ill with an attack of ty, held fever, is new recovering. The messages in all probability refer to the other Sir William Robinson, who possesses anleave our Governor a monopoly of the princely though not encommon name of William. Two

much. No wonder they get a little mixed. A meeting of the Sanitary Board will be held of estate when received, less outstanding his afternoon. The following is the agenda: - liabilities and charges, will loave available a 1.—Letters from the Honourable Colonial Secretary | further sam of about \$1.175.16, together about regarding :-(a)—Petitions from contractors to be granted some

money allowance for the loss thay sustained by the galo of the 3rd and 4th Daoumber, 1991. (b.)—The management of the Vaccine Institute. (c.)-An additional Watchman and Interpreter the market staff. 2. -Mortality returns for weeks ended the 19th and 26th March, 1892.

(a.) -- On sanitary condition of bakeries in Victoria. (6.) -On condition of house drains at 2 to 16 (even numbers) Bonham Strand, I to 15 (odd numbers) Jervois Street, and 2 to 20 (even numbers) Tung On (c.)-The Colonial Veterinary Surgoon's for 189!. (d.) -The Superintendent's for 1891. (e.)-Regarding destruction of diseased cattle at

Applications to construct water closets at the

THE TOTAL MANY TELEVISION SOUS THEE STREETS MALDER. ng of Chinese merchants and others interested in the formation of a society for the promotion of peace amongst their own countrymen, was hold, at the instance of Mr. W. L. Lisson, at stralia 51 years, and amongst those present were many well-known merchants, Mr. W. L. Lisson. and about 200 curpenters, gardeners, and others. The chairman, in addressing the assemblage. a strange country, and the oppression brought to hear upon thein by Europeans and others. He should live in unity and peace amongst themof a different nationality, and then only when and others then followed in the same strain. Subsequently committees were formed to lay the

being come to.

missioner of Police at Saigon, presented himself coinage demand equal to 135, that rant for his arrest. On the Commissioner re- ble its comparative value. The supply of diplomatic immunity which he claimed in virtue adornment, and the coinage demand equal to of his position as a foreign Consul. Upon M. 120. The supply of silver is now approxi-Albertini explaining that he could use no di mately 7,500 million ounces less 33 per cent. recretion and had to effect the arrest M. quired for arts, industry, and adornment, and the Greiger went with him quietly and was coinege demand equal to 122, that is, the foundation. It appears, however, that the cir- its quantitive value (49d. for 1887). If it recumstances which have dictated the arrest quired seven times as great a demand for silver must have been of great gravity. We believe as for gold to made silver exchangeable at 153 that before occasioning so great a seandal to 1, or 60d, per ounce, with a demand only Messrs. Engler & Co. must have given the mat- 21 times as great silver should be worth ter mature reflection and found themselves gold 484 to 1, or 191d, per cauce. The supply under the most painful obligation to lodge of gold, however, has been moreased 135 pe ing the police visited the residence of Made- cont added to the silver price of 194d, per ounce. moiselle X --- for the propose of seizing the should make silver worth in gold 23 to 1, or 401d. this person, the mistress of M. Greiger, had in as it is now. These fluores may be open to modiher possession. People speak of frands com- figation as they are independent calculations based mitted on his firm by M. Greiger, but upon the presumed numbers of people competing nothing has transpired up to the present to for the precious metals, and are adduced to show confirm these reports. It was said, also, that Mr. | the relative demands made upon gold and silver, Greiger had been set at liberty, but this state- but taking into consideration the uselessaccuroulament is, it appears, contradicted. The affair has tion of silver under the ! land Act in the United

SUPREME COURT. March 31st.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

BEFORE HIS HONOUR MR. FIELDING CLARKE, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE.

executor of the will of his father, Tang Alok,

Mr Phillippo (instructed by Mr. Holmes) apwas absent, was not represented by Counsel. Mr. Phillippe said-I appear for the plaintiff

FOOTBALL. CLUB (2ND XI.) v. COLTS.

The return match between the Football Club and the Colts was played yesterday afternoon on the Happy Valley ground and resulted in a draw, both teams securing one goal. The Club's team was of course very weak, but they had all their

W. H. Stopani Half backs, F. Horepool E. A. Lammert E. A. Cole J. B. Grimos W. E. Bose C. Kew B. F. Lammert J. Humphreys C. W. Diukson W. H. Wallage W. Meitland J. S. Ezekiel Forwards. J. Crook F. Maitland J. Manuk H. Skene

THE SONGEI KOYAH, EAST BORNEO AND LAM OF PLANTING COM-PANIES, LIMITED.

The liquidators (Messes, C. S. Sharp and Leslie Hallward) of the above three Companier have issued statements. of the Companies accounts up to the Sist March. The reports attached are in the same form in all three cases, that of the Songoi Koyah Co, being as follows :-The liquidators now beg to present to shareholders a statement of the Company's accounts made up to

was expected would have been closed ere now. When these are closed the winding up can be completed and the remaining assets distributed. As will be observed from the accounts, Against this it is estimated the outstand-

ing liabilities and charges, after receipt of the balance of purchase money of estate, will absorb about

Leaving about \$2.30 per snare, There are still some calls of capital due, which has been so far found impossible to collect. The total capital was \$249,250, of which \$14 per share of \$50, or \$69,580, has already been

returned. In the case of the East Borneo Co. there is cash balance in hand of \$13,353; against this i is estimated the outstanding liabilities and charges, after receipt of the balance of the purchase money of the estate, will absorb about \$1,153, leaving about \$12,200, or say sufficient to pay a fin I return of capital of \$3.15 per share. The paid up capital was \$195,420, of Sir William Robinsons acting at the same time | which \$29,032, or 7.50 per share on fully paid up shares of \$50, has already been returned.

In the case of the Lamag Company there is a cash balance in band of \$3,513.84, and it s estimated the balance of purchase money \$9.689 or say sufficient to pay a final return of capital of \$3.40 per share on fully paid up and \$1.70 per share on hulf-paid up shares paid up capital was \$147,783, of which \$37,050 has already been returned, b ing \$13 per share

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselven responsible for the opinion expressed by our Correspondents: & THE SILVER QUESTION.

TO TRE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." Sir.—In view of the present aspect of the silver question I feel tompted the years ago and which appeared in the functional Guardian of

be 22nd March, 1888:-Assuming the quantity of silver pro duced prior to 1850 to have been 33 times the Royal Standard Theatre, Sydney, on the 4th | as much as that of gold, on a quantitive March. The chair was occupied by Mr. Wil. appreciation of the two metals silver should liam Loo Ching, sen, the oldest Chinaman in have been worth 283d, per onuce, but by concord vanced on an intelligib! ratio, might meet more that ensued whom the Chief, was making for his ed to circulate as worth 60d, per cunce, thus offering an immense premium for the further discovery and increased production of silver, and releasing the gold in the world from being a stated the disalvantages Chinamen were under in becossary circulating medium to become available for purposes other than coinage, which we may take to be those of adornment. While the s vid it was unwise to quarrel amongst themselves population of the world, excepting England, and cause harm to each other, but that they was willing to accept silver as the monetary standard, gold was really a marketable commod salves in a foreign country, and if they were ty just as much as cotton or wheat or tobacco, inclined to be quarrelsome let it be with others only the price instead of being subject to the law of supply and dem ind was fixed by certain aujustly treated. A number of the merchant; nations at less than one half its quantitive value. that is to say, instead of having to pay for gold 33 times its weight in silver peoples had to pay matter before the heads of the different factions only 15; times. The supply of gold prior to in the city, with a view to an amicable settlement 1850 was approximately 154, million ounces, less 50 per cent. required for arts, industry, and adornment, and the coinage demand equal to 120. The supply of silver was approximately The Progrès de Saigon of the 23rd March has 6020 million ounces less 33 per cent. required the following paragraph :- M. Albertini, Com- for arts, industry, and adornment, and the on Sunday evening about eight o'clock, at the demand for eilver was seven times as gree house of M. Greiger, the resident partner of the as the demand for gold, and this, demand well-known firm of P. Engler & Co., with a war- served to keep up the price of silver at dou-

been much discussed and has caused great excite: States, the repeal of which at any time would ment amongst the members of the foreign colony. | cause a fall of at least 10 per cent, in silver, they seem fairly to state the case, and if the idea is coinage of silver might be arrived at which without being prejudicial to gold would prevent disturbance of the currency for some time to come." The position does not seem to have changed more million ounces of gold and silver to its re-Spain are now agitating for a gold standard!

world. We have no official returns of the outto recover \$3,000, being the amount of rents col- put of gold and silver for 1891, but for previous 1890..... 5.980,000 132,000,000-22 to 1 1889.... 5,930,000 122,000,000=201 to 1 1898..... 5.155.000 109.000.000=21 to 1 Quantitive. Actual. 1889 44.7

The Director of the United States Mint estimated the gold and silver coin in circulation Gold...\$3.727.018.869... oz. 192,170,000

-Silver \$3,820,571,346... oz. 3,133,460,000 164 silver to 1 gold, but this scarcely agrees with other authorities. Sootheer for instance, brought up to the same date, which give :--Gold ___£695,000,000 __oz. 179,180,000 Silver...£796.000.000 ...oz. 3.184.000.000

There is nothing alarming in a production of million enness of silver. The production in authority who fornishes the following figures, 98,000,000 onnoss, and the distribution :-Asiatic absorption 47,000.000 United States 24,800,000 All other countries 26,200,000

In 1890 the production according to the same authority was 132,700,000 ources and the distribution :— Asintio absorption United States coinage 37,600,000 United States retnined 20,600,000 All other countries 26,800,000 132,700,000 The Asiatic absorption seems pretty steady, and

Government, while the industrial consumption of silver is said to be 20 million ounces aunually, so that a production of 137 million onness could be distributed :— Asiatic absorption 47,000,000 United States purchases 54,000,000

United States arts All other cognitries coinage ... 12,000,000 All other condtries arts 14,000,000 131.000.000

two years, and in 1891 55 per cent. higher, 113 bang, in the first week in April, it sufferily Chioa. \$12,647.26 per cent. and 55 per cent. on the production of changed from coal, hazy weather to extreme. This at the rate of 137 million ounces a year, would caused great unsettlement in our plans. or, say, sufficient to pay a final return of capital of keted, and make a ratio of 263 to 1. or minly known as the capture of Lunar Prabung curious, the river wanding its course through

1893-4 to 4:11 in 1898-9 although even then Luang Prabang, and some of the officials and pod of tamarind, into which has been put a they had the quantitive price argument at their their followers who with the Siamese Comback; but what prejudiced people was that the missioner and M. Pavie, the French Viceof 151 to 1, which -veryous, in the East at least, their Chief, but also took to flight as saw would be prejudicial to the trade of the Sast, soon as the report spread that the latter intendhowever, of a return to bi-metallism is the de- who had been engaged by the Chief of Luang termining of a ratio which would be acceptable. Prabing as a body-guard, were killed and to one and all, more partio therety to those count wounded. The Münng Lai people seem to tries who, like the Latin Union, already possess have done little other damage, beyond apa sufficiency of silver coin, and without whose propriating such provisions as they could find; adherence action would be impossible. The but quietly and leisurely returned up the magnitude of the interest at stake is immediate. Nam U to Milang Lai It was subsequent Western world amount to :-

France£140,000,000 Balgium 11.000.000 Italy Switzerland Portugual 'ustr - Hungary 18,000,000 Netherlands England and Colonies United States

£390,000,**6**50. corrent at a ratio of 15% to 1 in the Latin coption of the import and expert duties, and no Union, and 16 to 1 in the United States. If gambling, while wages are fixed on a Governthese had to be recoined at 22 to 1 it would mean | men' scale; and I found no reason to doubt the a less of nearly \$115 millions, or £390 millions statement generally made that corvées have recoined at 22 to I would produce only £275 been abolished. The real curse of the country millions, and who is going to stand this loss? appears to be the almost universal habit of maint of mint of mi Governments will not, and the only way out of opinm-smoking amongst the Lacs of Lucus the difficulty would be to show them how to avoid Prabang: boys learn its use from an early age. If a regular steam service up a large river from such a loss, because it is very clear that people, and seem never to abandon it. The result the gold people particularly, will not have silver is that the people of Luang Prabang are in point palmed off on them at lo to I when they can of physique a far inferior race to the Lacs of able, it is inconceivable that it should be more taken to the Central Station. Various reports demand for silver is 21 times greater than the got as much of it as they want in the mar. Chiengmai or of Nan. The women, moreover, so up a difficult river through a poer, mountainare in circulation, reports which we do not demand for gold, and this demand is sufficient ket at 23 or 24 to 1. The only way would openly drink the native liquor, though not to an ous, and sparsely-populated country. : be high reproduce, believing that they possess little to support the price at about 11 per cent. nuder be to decide upon a ratio and start afresh with a interiesting extent. Withal, they are a rea new international silver coin, which could be markably light-hearted race, and Luang Pra- of the Me kong can only come from those who exported when necessary as gold is now, and bang may well be described as the town of song have their own purposes to serve in leading the turn all existing silver money into token coins, and merriment. As soon as the sun sets, music French commercial classes to suppose that there legal tender only in the countries in which is heard everywhere, and the strains of the somethey are at present circulating. But the what monotonous Lao organ are heard usually millennium is not yet at hand, and I do not think throughout the night. A curious custom also To form a practical idea, a candid reader has such action will be possible in our generation. cotains for the female respectable members of (Silver will recover on its own merits, and from a the community to promenade the streets in the tion of the Me-kong by M. Garnier, whose good restriction of supple in consequence of low prices, evening singing in choras. No men are all faith may be relied upon, although it would seem but the output will not be reduced in a day, for lowed in these processions, which are never i as it takes two years to bring a mine into bearing, terfered with. Strange to say, this and other so it may take as long to shut one down, for peo- carious customs prevail only in the town of ple will go on working and facing losses in the Luang Prabang. The women here wear only used to say he saw all the colours of the hope of a better time coming.—Yours, &c., C. S. TAYLOR,

Hongkong, 31st March, 1891. LUANG PRABANG AND TRADE ON THE MEKONG.

at which mints could be thrown open to the free Majesty's Consular Service in Siam, has been

view of this town is certainly disappointing, for cles of export and import] burren strip of land between it and the small ness ink. These articles were imported by M. ed at various places on the river. As far as I river Nam Khan, which takes a sharp turn to the Macey. who also brought up as samples some north before joining the Me kong.

A long straight road parallel with the river is other articles of a pretty or fantastic exterior. the only important theroughfare, and here a jewellery, &c.; but these things are too exmarket is held every morning that is certainly pensive and do not suit the people, who are too nearly succumbed to malaria, the largest and most crowded of any in the north, poor to buy luxuries of this kind. with the exception of Chengmai. The provision The prospects of French trade in the Memarket is carried on in the street, while the stalls kong Valley have of late years been vannied to contain the common articles of import. Here the most usual currency is the ruppe, to state that it seems to me impossible for a in the House of Commons on March 7, the House and 2-anna and 4-anna bits are in demand, but coudid observer to conceive how French com- E. Stanhope, Secretary for War, stat.d. in re-

in opium in precisely the same position press and illustrations are good. The articles His Lordship—All right. I have looked over Tribsvasl, may be 6,000,000 onlines, the old cisely such goods that the people will buy: Comment at short notice. The War Office are

long narrow, lazange-shaped piece of silver with inour an enormous outliny on improving the alloy of various descriptions.

some twenty years ago. It is an image, improve it. The plain facts are that Lung said to be of massive gold, about 3 feet high. Prabang and its sister provinces on the north-Bocauss of its value, it ran great danger of east are a mass of mountain, with hardly any being plundered by the Hos four years ago, but soil available for plain cultivation, and with a was fortunately taken away just in time. The sparse population, chiefly nomadic, that tends to chief building of Luang Prabaug is the solitary emigrate westward into the richer territories of brick residence of the chief, but there are no Nan and Chiengmai. fine buildings, no rains even, and no interesting excursions to be made in the neighbourhood. not without regret, for the kind and intelligent we know the requirements of the United States The valley is narrow, with very little plain hospitality of the Siamese authorities had Irencountry for paddy cultivation; gardens are dored our stay there both interesting and innumerous, but there is an extraordinary searcity structive. The Siamese Commissioner shows a of fruit, vegetables, and other such produce, the lively interest in the people and productions of

fish, and park, of all of which there is certainly moreover, in the whole district very little of the Luang Prebang is not a desirable residence officials so often inspire the subject Lacs. that seems to attack the natives and Siamese at Boundary Mission, who was then making an exleaving a surplus of 4 million ounces to depress least as much as foreigners. The amount of oursion along the Chinese frontier. This genthe market price of silver 61 per cent. below its quinine consumed by the Siamese soldiers theman has left a reputation amongst the officials quantitive value. What has weighed on the is extraordinarily large, and I may say that and people for good sense, tact, and moderation market more or less all through 1891, and what Luang Prabang is the only place where I that they are not willing to accord to any other weighs on the market new and depresses the have seen quinine, which is known by all, of the Franch travellers. They are all allowed price of silver, is but another illustration of the openly sold in the market. As there are to go freely wherever they like so that the ocinexorable law of supply and demand. I do not hardly any awamps in the Luang Prabung re- cusional complaints of restrictions placed by Siaknow, I doubt whether any one knows, what lion, the fever so provalent there and in the mess officials I believe to be as imaginary as the quantity of silver was held out of consump. other north-eastern provinces is, I think, jungle descriptions they sometimes indulge in of the tion by the high prices of 1890 and 189!. fever, caused by great and sudden changes of wealth of the Mc-kong Valley, which are so inbut as the price of silver during 1890 was 113 temperature from day to day and from middley comprehensible to an unprojudiced observer por could-higher than the average of the previous to midnight. During our stay in Luang Pra- with a fair knowledge of other parts of Indo-1890 and 1891 would account for nearly 23 mil- heat. About this time nearly every member of lion ounces, which, added to current production our party suffered from fever, and it afterwards high and the valley narrow, leaving hardly any

give 160 million onnos of silver to a million The somewhat wrefoled appearance of Luang and poor, and so in to live entirely by "jooming" ounces of gold as the quantity to be mar. Prahang is due to some extent to what is comtemporarily 35 i. per onnes. But here another by the Hos. Though it is old history, the opi- straight walls of black rocks sometim is in rapids question arises, can the production of silver be sode is so curious and instructive that it may be and swift currents and sometimes in deep posts; maintained at 137 million onness annually; worth while giving a brief account of the occur- but there is no magnificant account, and, on the at a price of own 39d per ounce? I see render. Early in 1837 the Siamere General, who whole, I think it is difficult to imagine a more from my American papers that the Holmes was engaged in driving out the Housen the monotonous journey than that on the Weskeng, mine, which last year produced 309,146 bunces north-eastern frontier, went to Münng Theng where the the valley is too broad and the banks too of silver, shut down on the 1st November and sent for the Chief of Müsner Lai to most high to allow of observing the country, while the last, because it could not produce silver for him there. The latter sent his brothers, whom beatidaring midday and the glare from the interless than 97 cents an ounce. I have also the Siamese Guaral took down to Bangkok. had an opportunity of reading the manager's The Chief of Lai looked upon this as an not of report on the Sheridan mine, capitalized in treachery, and feneful that his brothers might is hardly possible to sleep, surrounded as one is by Shanghai at 2 million taols and hitherto con- be put to death, determined some months later | the hot sands and rocks. Fortunately the boats sidered one of the sound st mines in the States, to ask for them with a show of force. Taking are roomy and comfortable. To navigate the in which a possible profit of 13 per cent, per a following of about 600 of his men and 60 Hos. rapids, two long boats or dug-outs are placed side annum is figured with silver at \$1 per ounce. he marched from Müsng Lui to Müsng Theang. by side and a house of bamboo built on a platform The price of silver has since been 85 cents an and thence depended the Nam Nua on rafts and over them. This renders it impossible for the ounce in New York, a decline of 15 per cent, the Nam U in bests picked up on the way. This boots to upset or sink, but it is a common acciand the question naturally occurs, how many descent was so sudden that the people hardly had dent for one or both of the bests to fill up and other mines in the United States are in a like time to prepare for It; some fled, whilst others the floor to get swamped. This unwieldy craft position? Some years ago, when silver fell mo- remained and were left unmolested. But at is of course slow, but fortunitely tue current mentarily to 41fd. per ounce, it was claimed that Luang Prabang the news of the approach of the in the Mc-kong is usually strong. 42d, would shut down many mines and there Hos, who have a well-deserved reputation for In some places along the sand-banks are gold would seem ground for suce a conjecture; as daring and cruelty, was sufficient to produce washings, where small quantities of gold are silver did not hold long at 4181., but railied a panie, and the whole population abandoned obtained by the usual inborious process; but and ran away to 164, only to decline again the town, some going down the river and the whole production of gold at Luang Praheng to the neighbourhood of 42d, before the Win- others taking to the hills. The men now on 350 fully paid up shares of 850 each and \$6.50 of 41 million ounces, which again has proved a plied for arms, but they were refused by the women that can afford them. Thrice a-year, before perfectly inefficacions in steadying the price officer in charge of them on the ground that it the customary festivals, these gold ornaments are of silver. Once get rid of the surplus high was intended to treat amicably with the Müang deed a deep red by the following process: the price has accumulated and the play of natural Lai Chief. The Siamese troops having been gold is first baked, then dioped in a boiling laws will restore silver to at least its quantitive withdrawn, and most of the members of the value. What has become of the bi-metallic Chief's family called down to Bangkok, there agitators I know not. They were disregarded, was no one left with sufficient cours ze or spirit and then rubbed with cocon-nut fibre and glass and I think rightly, for attacking the gold price to organize a resistance to these few hundred or amber beads. It is afterwards again boiled of silver simply because silver fell from 501d, in armed and determined mon. The old Chief of in a mixture of some salt, a little sulphur, and a bi-metallists did not advance their theories on Consul, had remained behind after the arrival

and everyone in the West, or the gold West, ed to take him away prisoner as a hostage for his is often similarly dyed in Lower Siam, and the saw would be offering a ridiculous premium brothers. Seeing this, the Mürng Lui people colour is effective on certain kinds of articles, on the production of silver. But now, with begin to loot the palace, which they finally set like bowls, stands, and boxes. silver at starvation point, their theories, if ad- on fire. It is curious that, in the scrimmage y seen in the following figures.. The silver to these events that the French occupied Mirang coins supposed to be in circulation in the Lai and Müang Theng. The people of Luang Prabing and of the Nam U. Valley allowed several months to pass before they ventured to return to their homes; and there can be no doubt that these occurrences have bad a bad effect on the trade of the country, and produced a feeling of insecurity which it will take many years of good

government to offace. The Government of Luang Pribing, which appears to be entirely in the hands of the Siamese Commissioner, compares favourably, however, with nearly any other part of Siam that I know. a year for the head of a family and 4 rappes for unmarried able-bodied men appears heavy, but there are no firms or other taxes with the exsilk petticoats, which are common throughout the Eastern Lao country, the reason being that the silkworm is bred there and that silk being for more durable than cotton, it is probably cheaper in the end. Some of the silk manufacsilk is generally coarse, and there is little de-

mand for it for export. with Bangkok through Paklai and Utaradit and, to a smaller extent, by Toungthoo British issued as a Parliamentary paper. We make the subjects with Chiengmai. The principal ex- bodia nor Annam can have any chance of comports to Bangkok are gum benjamin (found only From Pak U (the mouth of the Num U) it is in Hua-pan-thang-hok), cardamoms, and sticklas. Valley. Korat is the natural feeder of that much since 1888. The world has added a few only a few hours to Luang Prabang. The first Tubles are given showing the principal artiserves, but no nation, although Austria and it looks little better than a village; in fact, it is Nearly all the cotton goods and hardware are only a very large, straggling village of bamboo of British manufacture. The only French imhas made a fresh tug at Prince Bismarck's huts interpersed with brick temples. It is situat. ports that are to be seen exposed for sale are Tan Tsui Shing sued Tang Tung Shang, gold blanket, which is too small to cover the ed on the east bank of the Mc-kong, mostly on a small papers of fine silk thread, combs. and Chi-

> such a degree that I must take this opport mity the fical is also common, and is made legal tender | merce can compete with the present trade of the | ply to questions, that the smokeless powder had by the Sinnese Government; it is, however, country or find a profitable field in these regions. proved to be a success. The whole of the British generally used to purchase imports from Bangkok. Franchigoods are not suited to the people, and forces were now armed with modern weapons;

curious marks on it warying in size and value means of transport. Even were this done, I from 3 to 20 rapsos. A coin of very similar doubt whether Manchester or Birmiogham appearance is the so-called boat-shaped money, goods such as the people require, subjected which is slightly hollow in the centre; of this to a high protective tariff and to the shape are other coins in use amongst the hill cost of transport by road, railway, or steamer; people, of small value, made of copper and of could undersell the imports from Bangkok. The only serious attempt that could be made to With the exception of this market there is dispose of French-goods in these regions would nothing of interest in Luang Prabang. A be, say, to prohibit all other imports. On the rained temple on a small hill dominating the whole this would not be quite an undesirable town gives a good view of the environs. Another consummation, for it would restrict the people. object of some interest is the golden Buddha, to their own manufactures, which are of better 1887 was 96,000,000 ounces, or according to the whence the province takes its name: "Prabang" taste and stronger texture than, any imported signifying, in the language of the hill people, goods; and it would tend to preserve the the "Buddha of the gold washings," for it industries of the country, which are threatened is said to have been made of the local gold extinction by increased facilities for obtaining from the washings. Tradition says that this foreign goods. However, I am convinced that Buddha was brought down by the Laes when the present trade of Luang Prabang need not they emigrated from Milang Theng; it was fear French competition; but anyhow, it is so afterwards taken down to Bangkok by the inconsiderable, and has so little room for develop-Signess, who restored it to Luang Prabing ment, that it is hardly worth making efforts to

> On the 11th April we left Luang Prabang, people apparently sublisting entirely on rice, the country that is most rare in Siam. I found, antipathy and animosity with which the over-In short, in spite of its picturesque situation, buring and arbitrary ways of the smaller Siamese

> from any point of view, while it is so unhealthy . I was disappointed in not meeting M. Pavie. that faw who visit it escape the common fever the French Vice-Consuland Head of the French

This impression deep ned as we descended the Me-kong from Luang Prabang. The banks are monu for plain gultivation: the villages are rare and fishing. The scenery in many places is minablesand banksare almost intolerable. At this time of the year even the nights are so hot that it is insufficient even for the local demand, which is

mixture of saltpetre, alum, and salt, dried again in the fire, washed in boiling and cold water, small piece of burnt silver. The deepness of the colour, which varies with individual taste. depends on the length of time the article is allowed to foil in the last mixture and on the quantity of tamarind put in. The colour is not lasting if the article is in constant use. Gold.

I may here state with regard to the navigable lity of the Me-kong that I do not in the least believe that stea eers can ever be advantageously employed on this river for trading purposes. No steam best could safely make head against the treacherous current up the rapids or shoot them on the way down. This I say from what I have seen of them my self, but I did not see the worst rapids. The regions of rapids in the Mekong below Lumg Prabang may be roughly placed in the following separate localities: The Das, Chiengkhan, Kemarat, Khon, and Prestapang. Granted that steamers could be brought above these different rapids and navigated in the still reaches between them, how is the transport between the principal towns on the river to be offeeted? Are there to be unloading and reloading stations and roads made past the rapids? If o, what is likely to be the cost of transport of small quantities of goods from Cumbodia to Luang Prabang? It hardly requires a practical inind to make the proper answers to these ques-The pill-tax on the Lao residents of 8 rupses tions, and I think I can do no better than quote the remark of the commissioner at Luang Prabang, who, when a French traveller was trying to convince him of the practicability of bringing strangers up to Luang Prabang, silenced him by saying that he would undertake to build wharves for thom at his own expense as soon as they arrived. But the absurdity of a scheme for the point of view, may be judged best by compara nort like Bangkok, that feeds the whole of the is a great possible market for French goods in a as if his ardent love of exploration affected his imagination in the same manner as the artistic rainbow in a grey sky. It appears to me that the perusal of 31. Garnier's work must necessarily bring an impartial observer to the conclusions that the Me kong is difficult of navigation, the population is small, and the turers have pretty and tasteful designs, but the trade insignificant. Trade naturally finds the route best suited to it, and that to Bangkok is A report of a journey in the Mekong valley The import and export trade of Luang Pra- Valley from Cambodia to Luang Prabang; but caught and worked out by competent hands a price by Mr. W. J.- Coroller, First Assistant in Her bung is carried on chiefly by Chinese traders when, moreover, the Siamese Government complutes the construction of the railway to Korat.

> for railway communication with Bangkok. In connection with the projects for the stenm navigation of the Me-kong, it has been stated that French commercial agents would be stationam informed, there are north of Cambodia no coloured flowered woollens and satins, glass and French stations of any description on the Mekong, with the exception of some missionaries at Lakhon and elsewhere, who, sad to say, have

country, and there can be no doubt as to its im-

portance as a trade centre nor as to the necessity

During the discussion on the Army Estimates tive value of silver would work out 12.83 or currency of Siam, still in common use; they have munications in all the country east of Luang' therities were also increasing the comforts of find a seal of 2.400 to the rapide. Fralley, ket so bed that find from non in the new barracks, with a view to offer. There is also the old colo of Laury Probain a Kinnan or Touble it would be decedery to ling further inducements to men to enlist

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ightning; o. overcast; p. passing showers; q. squally; r

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W. DOBERCK.

Hongkong Observator: March 31st, 1892.

MESSES. FALCONER & CO.'S REGISTER, MAR. 31st.

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SHIPPING REPORTS.

The Dutch steamer Borneo, from Amoy 30th

The British steamer Esang, from Wuha 26th

The British steamer Nanshan, from Saigon

26th Mar., experienced moderate N.E. winds to

Cape Varella; thence to port strong N.E. gale,

The British steamer Changeha, from Sydnor

8th Mar., experienced fine weather till entering

the China Sea, then strong N.E. gale with very

The British steamer Häiphong, from Foodhow

25th Mar., Amoy 26th, and Swatow 30th, had

moderate to light N.E. breeze and overcast wes-

ther to Amoy. From Amoy had moderate to

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Swatow. From Swatow had strong N.E. breeze

and overcast to port. In Foodhow-Chinese stra

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at No. 6, ICE-HOUSE LANE, on SATURDAY,

the 9th April, 1892, at Noon, when the Liquids-

tors will lay before the Shareholders an Account

in which the Winding Up has been conducted

since the Special Resolution for the Winding

C. S. SHARP.

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COM

Account showing their Acts and Dealings an

LAMAG PLANTING-COMPANY,

LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.

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ERS in the aboved-named Company will be held

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Liquidators will lay before the Shareholders an

Account showing their Acts and Dealings and

C. S. SHARP,

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ING of the LABUK PLANTING OM-

PA Y. LIMITED, will be held on THURS-

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General Managers,

LESLIE HALLWARD,

Liquidators.

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Up of the Company was passed and confirmed.

Hongkong, 25th March, 1892.

Hongkong, 25th March, 1<u>8</u>92

Hongkong, 25th March, 1892.

Shareholders present."

COMPANY. LIMITED. IN

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CHINESE OFFICIAL ORUELTIES:

The Viceroy at Nanking, H.E. Liu Kun-yi, while the exports for the month decreased by on a visit to Monte Carlo on Thursday. is, we must believe, fully persuaded in his own £1,141,000. mind that the Kolan Hui, which was founded as n benevolent association, is now a political society siming at the everthrow of the Manchu dynasty. notebooks and diaries have come into their was considered to be unworkable. possession, and they are kept busy with the arrest and examination of every Chinese subject whom Mason may have montioned in those documents. The extracts we have published sucremous strike will now be altogether averted. is to work Parnell's patents, has been issued, from the native papers have shown what it According to a recent manifesty nearly three with a capital of £150,000. means to be examined by Mr. Yu : it means re- bundred thousand miners were to have gone out

peated and prolonged torture, until the victim's on strike on the 12th inst, unless their domands strongth gives way and he confesses his guilt were acceded to. Guilty or innocent he is forced to give way in time; and thon, if he is not kept for a little while in order that, evidence against supposed accomplices may be extracted from him, he is de. Hamilton, First Lord of the Admiralty, replycapitated. This is Chinese justice, as practised ing to questions, stated that the warships lately by Vicercy Liu and Deputy Yu. Vicercy built for Australia had been accepted without a Chang, on the other hand, is complained of be- trial of the maximum forced draught owing to cause he, more mercifully, decapitated his viotims; the fear of damage to the boilers, but the actual before extorting more evidence from them. The unfortunate Chinking Concession Road Coolie, Cu Kuo-fu, has been in the Shanghai City Magistrate's fail some four months. He has been repeatedly examined, but nothing can be got out of him, for the simple reason that he about 300 miles on t of the Straits of Magellan knows nothing. This poor coolie has been for have been gazetted as a colony. The Governor filteen years a faithful and efficient servant of and Chief Justice, Sir R. T. Goldsworthy. e Chinkiang municipality and is, we are as- C.M.G., will retain his position; sured, the most unoffending of men. Every | In 1833 the Falkland Islands were taken cash he had and the money that has been possession of by the British for the protection

subscribed for him at Chinking have been of the whole fisheries, and were colonised; and wife and family are destitute, and now the being, as a whole, the most southerly organised two Hsus, Mason's boys, threaten to denounce him, unless he supplies them with money to bribs their jailer. His case is desporate unless gome aid comes to him. He ought to have been released long ago, but with the officials in whose power he is, foreign remonstrance does more harmthan good. Then there is the Customs' tingchai, Yang Ta-chang, who is believed to be perfectly innocent, who has been so fearfully torthred that he is now paralysed. He has nothing to tell but this has not saved him from cruelties worse than douth itself The case of the g atlemen at Yangchow is al most worse. These men are of official rank

connected with the Gabelle, and they have hearing the habit of thespitably entertaining foreign visitors from-Glinkiang -- Mason went up once to Yaurchow to look-for blue china or curios, and was invited to dinner by some of 'him before and have never seen him since. They are now threatened with arrest and examination and as they know nothing of Mason or hi schemes, they may look forward to being certain- titude taken up by Lord Salisbury on the Behentirely innocent. Mr. Yu is looking for pro- States vessels that are now ready for war. motion, and every confession he can extract by torture with every fresh victim that he can lay handson, is a proof of his vigilance in his service How long will the Chinese Government permit

these outrages to be carried on? Surely some of the Censors, who are always on the look out to expel all foreign anarchists and socialists from to trip up an official, will soon draw the atten- Spain. tion of the Throne to the pile of blunders which the Nanking Vicercy is committing; and to the church at Valencia. The church was partly serious discontent which he is fomenting by his destroyed. persecution of hove and coolies, and the reign of terror which he is allowing Mr. Yu to establish. The mistake which he has made in the continued was made on the 20th February to destroy with force under Mr. Johnstone, British Residentdetention of Li Hien-mow, for whose innocence dynamite the British Legation at Brussels, who has recently been endeavouring to crush Li Hung-chang and Lin Ming-chuan are pre- which it is believed was mistaken for the out the slaving combinations existing in the pared to be security, has already made him hear. | Spanish Legation. tily disliked, and it is openly stated that he is to be practically banished to the Shen-Kan vicercyalty, or to exchange places with Li Hanchang. In his present course, and especially discharged soldiers and village bullies who ment has made arrangements to import 60,000 constitute the Kolao Hui, but among the ton of wheat, on which the duty is to be If rois educated and law-abiding classes of the com- | per kilo, in order to aver a scarcity of grain. immity who are interested naturally in the preservation of order. The Yangehow gentle men have influence at Peking, and powerful with impunity like the road-cooles and boys who are suffering great hardships and privation. have been hitherto Mr. Yu's victims. Why is | Serious rioting has taken place at Dantzig. not the same vigour shown in ferreting out and [prosecuting Mr. Chou Han and his accomplices, ed by the mob. or the Wasneh murderers ?

The outrages on humanity that the weak officials of the Liang Kiang are committing in their panio for we suppose that must be their exense, cronot be concalled as they were twenty or thirty years ago. The Press carries the news of them all over the world. Peking itself re- him to strike terror into the minds of the discognises that it cannot afford to despise public affected portion of the population. opinion, and that it is good for China to have friendly allies. What foreign power will make a friendly alliance with a Government that allows anch gratuitous barbarities as Vicercy. Lin and Mr. Yil are now practising to go on unchecked ? -N. C. Duily News.

NOTES FROM CHINESE PAPERS. An apidemic is now prevailing among the outtle in the neighbourhood of Chinking, which is carrying off many of the animals.

Very savers weather has been experienced at Ningpo and the vicinity, and several persons have been frozen to death in the last cold spell. The Peking city wall is undergoing repair,

made necessary by the inundation last year. The work of repairing commoneed on the 4th | three-weeks' visit to Eastbourne. The health March, and its completion is expected to be

Much four is entertained by the farming class in and about Hangshow with regard to their crops. Owing to the continual rain combined with the extremely cold weather, the prospect of the grain crop is very discouraging: The price of rice is said to been risun 40 cents per-

Wang King lung, Kobo Hui leader, who was reported to be able to make wooden horses and animals run, has been again judicially examined. He confessed his connection with the Kolao Hui. but denied that the animals were made for any evil purpose.

Forring that the genial influence of spring might re-uscitate the dormant bodies of the locusts which now lie buried in the ground, the magistrate of Wuhu has offered rewards to farmers for the exterinination of those insects, in order to prevent a repetition of the locust post, which played such sad havos with the crops

caused extensive loss and not a little distress. £1,000 The total number of houses destroyed is asserhave taken measures to place those who sare of health. He is suffering from erysipelas. wholly destitute in the various charitable institutions, so that they may be temporarily provided the trial of a man for horsestealing in Indiana, with the necessaries of life.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The C. N. steamer Changsha, with Australian mails, arrived here yesterday afternoon. The appended telegrams are taken from our Auetralian files :-

THE LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL. LONDON, 5th Murch.

proceeding with animation to-day. The returns are incomplete. Up to the pre- gallery.

LONDON, 7th March. Carrington will probably be appointed chairman The Government accepted those conditions, but of the London County Council. The latest returns in connection with the Lan. objection was taken.] don County Council elections show that \$3 Pro-

respective divisions by large majorities.

gressionists and 35 Moderates have been elected. BRITISH TRADE RETURNS. London, 7th March. The Board of Trade returns for the month of son as Governor of Western Australia.

February show that the imports into Great Britain increased to the amount fof \$1,566,000

LONDON, 4th March. Mr. B. Pickard, M.P., who is interesting him Petersburg. The attempt, however, failed. and that he was in error when some months ago solf in the present cris's in the coal trade with The package is supposed to have contained oxhe attributed last year's riots to the issue of the view of endeavouring to bring about a settle- plosives. incendiary anti-foreign publications and the mentof the difficulty, believes that a single week's It is reported that Fitzsimmons, the well: spreading of false ramours. In his present opinion stoppage of coal supplies will be sufficient to known pugilist prevented Maher, another prizeha is, we take it, encouraged by the Vicerby at secure the object sought to be attained by the fighter, from committing saidle by jumping Wuchang, H.E. Chang Chihatang. In the task of miners in restricting the output at the collieries, firom a train in Carolina. purging the provinces under him of rebels, he is in order to prevent a reduction in their wages. Information has been received of a figh being vigorously seconded by his deputy, a man Mr. Pickard has great hopes that the stoppage of between whites and negroes in Kentucky. named Yil, whose autocodents to say the least, supplies will result in the adoption of his scheme (U.S.A.), in which three negroes were killed hardly qualify him for such a delicate duty. of five days work a week, which was discussed at and four wounded. The wounded were after-They have been very much assisted in their a conference between the colliery owners and the wards burned to death. task by the briminal folly of Mason, whose delegates from the Miners Federation, but which | The people of Spain are demanding the fram-

London, 16th March. The miners in Staffordshire and Wales have resumed work, and it is hoped the threatened

THE AUSTRALIAN PREET. LONDON, 7th March. In the House of Commons to-day Lord George draught gave a power in excess of that specified

- THE FALKLAND ISLANDS. LONDON. 5th March. The Falkland Islands, in the South Atlantic

colony of the British E noirs. THE GERMAN COLONIES IN AFRICA. LONDON, 7th March. During a debate in the Germin Reichstag on the Colonial Estimates, the Opposition part advised the sale of the East African possessions of Gormany to Great Britain.

THE BEHRING BEA FISH TRIES QUESTION. LONDON, 5th March. The arbitration treaty in connection with the Behring Sea difficulty will be submitted to the United States Sanate next week. Lord Silisbury is not disposed to renew the modus vivendi, but is in favour of adopting measures to prevent scaling within 30 miles of

the Pribyloff Islands. LONDON, 6th March. The Washington authorities are not likely to agree to Lord Salisbury's proposal, which is rethese gentlemen, who had never even heard of garded as unfair and arrogant. The position is l considered to be serious.

LONDON, 7th March. The New York Press are furious at the at ly squeezed of all they possess by the yamen jai- | ring Sea fisheries question, and in view of the lers and runners, and to being probably tortured assumed possibility of a conflict between the two until they confess something of which they are countries they publish the names of the United ANARCHISTS IN SPAIN.

LONDON. 3rd March. An immense bomb has been discovered in a of the Viceroy and another claim to a higher street of Madrid, the Spanish capital. The fuse was still burning at the time it was found. LONDON, 4th March. The Spinish Government has taken measure:

> A dynamite outrage was perpetrated in a LONDON, 7th March. It has transpired that an abortive attempt

ECONOMIES IN PORTUGATA LONDON. 5th March. Portugal has taken measures to effect a great dealers. Fort Johnstone, with all the guns and economy in the public finances of the country. it his attack upon the Yangchow gentlemen. To this end the department of the Minister of he is foundting discontent not among the Education has been abolished. The Govern. annihilated.

THE LABOUR AGITATION IN GERMANT. LONDON, 4th March. The mampleyed agitation is extending means of retribution, and they cannot be attacked | throughout Germany, and the working classes

where the butchers' and bakers' shows were loo

THE DIBAFFECTION IN POLAND, LONDON, 5th March. The situation in Poland is alarming in consequence of the popular disaffection against the Government. General Gourko, the Governor of Warsaw, has demanded larger power enabling

The Czar has granted increased powers to the Governor of Warsaw. LONDON, 7th March. Great irritation prevails at Warsaw in consequence of Russian soldiers being billeted on the citizens. RUBSIA AND GERMANY.

LONDON, 16th March. The Russian Government is massing large numbers of troops on the German frontier, and erecting extensive military barracks for their accommodation. The Russian movements are creating considerable unessiness in German military circles.

MISCELLANEOUS-ITEMS. London, 3rd March. The family of the Prince of Wales, including Prince George of Wales, has returned from a of Prince George shows much improvement. Princess Victoria of Took stayed with them. It is announced that further prosecutions of German newspapers are pending for their comments on the late speech of the Emperor William at the Brandenburg banquet.

LONDON. 4th March. The trustees of the Marquis of Stafford, son and heir to the Duke of Butherhad, are seeking to obtain an injunction to restrain his father from cutting timber on his estate, Trentham Hall, Stoke-on-Trent, in Staffordshire. The Marquis of Ailesbury has been declared hankrupt. His liabilities are set down at £350.000: the amount of his assets is not known. He admits that his insolvency was the result of betting and gambling. An exciting scene has occurred in the streets H. H. L. Tramways

f Paris. A burglar, while fleeing from justice. | Hongkong Ico....... suddenly turned round and shot three of his H. & K. Wharf & Q. pursuers with a revolver. All three fell dead, H. Steam Laundry.. The burgler was eventually captured. Great distress continues to exist amongst the poorer classes in Hungary. Many children are lying from sheer starvation.

F. P. Slavin, the Australian pugilist, has easily An extensive configration took place at defeated Vaquelin, the New Orleans giant, in Hangehow on the night of the 8th March, which | three rounds. The match was for a stake o Mr. W. B Springer, Chairman of the Com-

tai ed to-be 180, and no less than 70 families mittee of Ways and Means in the American were rendered homeless. The elders of the city | House of Representatives, is in a critical state | A scene of great excitement took place during U.S. The prisoner, who had a revolver concealed about him, fired at the Bench, killing the Mayor of the town and also the marshal of the Court. A mob soized the prisoner, and, drag-ging him from the court lynched him joutside. LONDON, 5th March.

Mr. Broad, a Home Ruler, has been returned as member for South Derbyshire, in place of Wir Henry Wardle, the late mem er, by si majority of 1.250 votes. Mr. Henry Tate has withdrawn his offer to

the nation of a valuable collection of English Mining-The London County Council elections are pictures, and of £80,000 towards housing them snitably. Mr. Tate is aggrieved at the failure of Mr. Gosoben to provide a suitable site for the sent 87 Progressists and 21 Moderates have been In 1890 Mr. Henry Tate announced his inreturned. Lord Rosebery, Lord Carrington, lumbion to give to the British nation his valu-

Mr. John Burns, Mr. John M'Dougall, and Mr. | able collection of paintings to serve as the nucleus W. C. Parkinson have been elected for their of a National Gallery of Art. Last year Mr. £30,000 for the erection of a suitable gallery at-The Pall Mall Garette states that Lord South Kensington subject to certain conditions. chose a site in i xhib tion-road, to which much

LONDON, 6th March. Itilia reported that Viscount Gormanston, K.C.M.G., Governor of British Guigna, has been appointed to succeed Sir William Robin-

LONDON, 7th March. The Prince and Princess of Wales will leave A report has been received to the effect that Older Malwa... 2530 an attempt was made to throw a package into the carriage of the Casr and Czarina at St. Patns (New) ... \$5274 per chest.

ing of commercial treaties with other Powers in order to minimise the evil effects of the new The Pyritas Gold Recovery Company, which

LONDON. 16th March. Baron Hirsch, the Jewish philanthropist, has presented the sum of £2,500 towards the relief of the starving unemployed in Vienna. There has been a renewal of exceptionally savere weather throughout the greater part of the United Kingdom. Phenomenally heavy snowstorms have occurred in several loc dities. seriously interfering with traffic and occasioning considerable damage to life and property. Weather of the same severe character has been general throughout Europe. The Britis's steamer Messina foundered in the Gulf of Gascony during the heavy weather.

I wenty five of the passengers perished. Justin McCarthy, the would-be successor he late Parnell as leader of the Irish party, has issued writs in the French Courts, demanding | Cape S. James ... that the funds of the Irish National League banked in Paris be invested in his own and Windivestock Mesers. T. Sexton's and J. Dillon's names. A territle blizzard has occurred in the United States, extending from Lake Michigan to Mon-many railway cars were derailed. Returns to hand show that fifty persons have been frozen

Thirty negroes have been arrested at Memphis. in Tennessee, United States, for the murder of Macao a family named Marshall. Three of the arrest-Hoihow od negroes fell into the hands of the mob whilst being conveyed to gaol to await their trial, and were immediately lynched. The death is announced of Lord Denbigh, the tinue steep for N.E. winds. Weather evercast, cool, damp. (Issued at 10.27 a.m.) Irish Earl of Desmond, aged 69. Mrs. Gordon Baillie, whose case attracted a

good deal at attention a few years ago, has been released from gaol. A disastrous colliery explosion has occurred at Charleroi, in France. The mine is now on fire. One hundred and fifty miners are entombed in the workings. A serious outbreak has occurred among

Indians in Bolivia, Upper Pern. A strong I holy of troops were despatched to suppress the rising, and in the resulting engagement a thousand Indiana were killed. One hundred and thirty eight members of a formidable society known as the Mala Vita, have been arrested by the Italian authorities. Benson, better known as the "Jubilee Plunger," has mysteriously disappeared. Mr. T. Healy, M.P., has been awarded £700

damages as the result of his action for libel against the Freeman's Journal The house of the Judge who presided recently at the trial of the Parisian anarchists has been completely wrecked by means of dynamite. Several attempts have also been made within the past few days to wreck the military barracks and other public buildings. Many of the buildings have been seriously damaged. Two armed men have been discovered lurking in the Sultan's palace at Constantinople, pre-

sumably with the object of assassinating the News is to hand to the effect that the armed vicinity of Lake Albert Nyanza, in Central Africa-has been seriously defeated by an overwhelming force of natives led by the Arab slave stores, has been captured, and the expedition i therefore considered to have been practically

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. THURSDAY, 31st MARCH. CLOSING QUOTATIONS. EXCHANGE. Le\NµoN.---

Telegraphic Transfer 29k Bank Bills, on demand294 Bunk Buls, at 30 days' sight2/9# Bunk Bills at 4 months sight 2 94 Dogumentary Bills, 4 months sight 2 114 Pagis.—. Credits, at 4 months sight 3.59 n Germany.— : On demand2.81 ON NEW YORK.— Credits, 60 days' sight 2.691 On Bombar.-IN CALCUITA. — Bank, on demand

SHANGHAL-JOINT STOCK SHARES,

PAID UP | QUOTATIONS. COMPANY... Hongkong & Shai. \$125 : 120 p et. pin.= \$275, sellers £1.5 | \$61, sales & buyers China, Japan, &c. £1 £60 Do., Founders.... Nat. Bank of Ch. £5.10 nom. - A. Shares..... B. Shares... £5.10 | 26 p. ct. dis. sellers £1 | \$200, buyers. Foun. Shares.. £10 | £10 New Oriental \$50 | \$33, sellers Brown & Co., H. G.

- 810 | **84**, потп. Campbell, Moore&Co. 355 | 310, sellers China Borneo \$100 | 5170 seilers China Sugar 14 p. ct. pm. buyers Chinese Loan '84 (Chinese Loan '86 E ls. 250 | 10 p. ct. pm. buyers Cruickshank & Co.... Dairy Farm Co. \$10 | 354. sales 325 | 317, buyers Fenwick & Co., Géo. \$50 | \$9, sellers Green Island Cement H. Brick & Cement.. \$21.50 | \$10, nom. \$50 | \$**80**, sellers £10 | \$120, seflers \$100 | \$45, sellers 550.1.nom. 850 | \$100, sellerg. 13222.25 Austin Arms

H. & C. Bakery Hongkong & C. Gas. Hongkong Electric.. \$50 | \$45, buyers " Hongkong Rope.... H. & W. Dock 3125 [78p. et. pm.= Hongkong Hotel... \$50 | \$50, sellers \$25 | nom: Do.•New Issue :... Shameen , \$10, moni. naurances— 850 | \$102, sellers Canton China Fire China Traders' ... \$50 | \$282, sellers Hongkong Fire North-China £50 | Tis. 255, sellers $$20 \mid \$9. \text{ sellers}$ Straits Fire \$20 | \$16 ex div. Straits Marine..... \$20 | \$14 525 | 390, sellers Union Yangtsze \$100 | \$108 | sabuk Plauting Land & Building— H. Land Investm't \$50 | §63, sellers Kowloon Land & B. \$30 | \$10, sellers | Peak Building \$13 | nom. \$100 | \$186 ex div. Humphreys Estate.

West Point Buildy. 340 | \$23, sellers Luzon Sugar \$100 | \$50, sellers Balmoral Gold ... \$10 | 25 ets. sellers Charbonnages | \$131.58 | \$250, sellers . \$6.31 | \$5, sellers lmuris Jelobu \$10 | \$1, buyers-Punjom 18s. ld. | 65 cts. buyers \$5 | \$1, sellers Selama **\$2** | 20 eta. -Steamship Coys.— \$50 | \$30, sales China & Manila ... Douglas S.S. Co.... \$50 | \$37 H., Canton, & M... \$20 | S34

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INTIMATIONS NOTICE.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. POSTPONEMENT OF GENERAL MEETING.

Per R. M. S. Empress of Japan, sailed THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING on the 20th March: For. Vancouver via Yokohama-11.057 bags rice, 87 bags beans, 11 bags peas, 20 bags coffee, 2,000 bags refined GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE Dunkerque, in connection with above Steawill be held at the Rooms of the CHAMBER, mar, are hereby littermed that their Gords. sugar, 193 bage salt potre, 10 bales varu, 900 CITY HALL, at 3.30 P.M., on FRIDAY, the 8th with the excuption of Opium. Treasure. bales home, 33 bales raw silk, 17 cases silk goods. 1 case cigare, 15 cases dyes, 3 cases copperware. previously advertised. 46 onses opium, 400 cases oil, 553 cases tea, and F. HENDERSON.

> Hongkong, 24th March, 1892. THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COM PANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given, That an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING f the above-named Company will be held at the considering and passing the Resolutions fol- | diem. lowing:—

Kramer be and he is heroby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding -That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorised to consent to the Registration of a new Company to be named the Green Island Cement Factory, Limited, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the Consulting Committee of this Company.

-That the Draft Agreement submitted to this Meeting, and expected to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one Section 149 of the Companies Ordinance. 1865, to enter into an agreement with such new Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) medifications as he thinks expedient.

Should the above Resolutions be passed by the requisite majority, they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to Second Extraordinary General Meeting, which will be subsequently convened.

Dated the 26th day of March, 1892. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.,

General Managers. THE HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED: NOTICE.

THE SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 127 dated the Eleventh day of February, 1891 for TEN SHARES in the above Company numbered 2236 to 2245, standing in the Register in the name of ALFRED EDWIN SKEELS. having been lost. Notice is hereby given that a NEW SCRIP CERTIFICATE for the said Ten Shares will be issued fourteen days hence; and that the Original Scrip Certificate, unless produced within that period, will thereafter be hold by the Company as null and void.

Hongkong, 30th March, 1892. SOCIETÉ FRANCAISE DES HOUIL-LÉRES DE TOURANE.

THAREHOLDERS are reminded that the LAST CALL of \$31.25 per share will be PAYABLE on the 15th APRIL, 1892, at the Mar., had very strong N.E. monsoon and high OFFICES of the BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE OF the Hongkong AND SHANGHAI BANKING are hereby notified that the Cargo is being

The Banks will certify the receipt of the Call at the back of the Scrips. No Special Receipts; will be granted. Fully paid Scrips will be issued (in exchange of the present ones) to "Bearer," or in their names at the option of the Shareholders.

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, 2nd March, 1892. SURGEON DENTIST.

No. 10, D'AGUILAR STREET. TERMS VERY MODERATE. Consultation Free. Hongkong, 23rd September, 1891.

INSURANCES

HENIX FIRE OFFIC The Undersigned are now prepared GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agents for the Phonix Fire Office. Hongkong, 17th August, 1887.

TRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG. prepared to ACCEPT RISKS, against FIRE

RAL MEETING of SHAREHOLD. at Current Rates. REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. showing their Acts and Dealings and the manner FIHE SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COM-PANY OF CANADA.

-ASSETS over \$3,000,000. Policies Absolutely non-Forfeitable. restrictions as to Residence or Travelling Rates of Premia low. Policies issued on all approved Forms. For further particulars, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

PANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION. Agents for Hongkong. Hongkong, 24th February, 1892. OTICE is heroby given, That a GENE ERS in the above-named. Company will be held RAL MEETING of SHAREHOLD COMPANY, LIMITED, at No. 6, ICE-HOUSE LANE, on SATURDAY, ESTABLISHED 1870. the 9th April, 1892, at 12.10 p.m., when the HEAD OFFICE,-Hongkong. Liquidators will lay before the Shareholders an CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS the manner in which the Winding Up has been Reserve Fund conducted since the Special Resolution for the Winding Up of the Company was passed and

RISKS accepted at CUREENT RATES OF JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Hongkong, 29th March, 1802. TRANSATLANTICFIREINSURANC

COMPANY OF HAMBURG. The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared t ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current 5th proxime will be subject to rent. the 9th APRIL, 1892, at 12.20 P.M., when the SIRMSSEN & Co...

Agents.

the manner in which the Winding Up has been GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE conducted since the Special Resolution for the ASSURANCE COMPANY IN Winding Up of the Company was passed and LONDON. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are pre-

Hongkong, 16th November, 1872.

1736 pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates. REUTER, BRÖCKELMANN & Co. Hongkong, 1st July, 1889.— HE MAN ON INSURANCE COM PANY, LIMITED.

Head Office—Hongrone

CAPITAL Subscribed), MO0.000. DAY, the 14th Aratt, 1892, at the Hongkong HoraL at Noon, when the subjoined Resolu-BUALD OF DIRECTORS. tion which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the LUM SIN SANG. Esq. BAN HUP, Esq. YOW CHONG PENG, Esq. CHAN LI CHOY BEQ. Q. HOL CHUNE, Esq. 26th March last will be submitted for confirmat That Article No. 86 of the Articles of Asso-The Company GRANTS POLICIES ciation of the Company be struck out and that there be substituted therefor the MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, following:—
The Company shall not be dissolved except by Contributory Dividends are payable to

a majority of at least three-fourths of the Shareholders or -not. WOO LIN YUEN, HEAD OFFICE. Labok Planting Co., Limited. No 2 Queen's Road West Hongkons, 14th March 1881.

a Resolution in General Meeting passed by Contributors of Business, whether they are

STEAMSHIP "YARRA" COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERTES Maritimes.—

NONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex-1 / S.S. Tamise and Dourg. from Havre ex of the MEMBERS of the HONGKONG | S.S. Tamise, from Bordeaux er S.S. Ville de their risks at the Hongkong and Kowleen despatched from Hongkong on January 27th. Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained im-729 mediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the on the 3rd April. Indorsigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Friday, the COMPANY'S OFFICES on TUESDAY, the 12th 1st April, at Noon, will be subject to rent and pected on the 3rd April. day of April, 1892, at Noon, with a view of landing charges at one cent per package per

All Claims must be sent in to me on or bafore .-That it is desirable to reconstruct the Com. | the 1st April (FBIDAY), or they will not be pany, and accordingly that the same be recognised. All damaged Packages will be exawound up voluntarily, and that Julius mined on FRIDAY, the 1st April at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hougkong, 25th March, 1892.

> ... MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "THORNDALE." FROM MIDDLESBRO, HAMBURG. ANTWERP, AND STRAITS.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in part and the Green Island Cement Factory. | formed that all Goods are being landed Limited, of the other part, be and the same at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong is hereby approved, and that the Liquidator and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, be and is hereby authorised, pursuant to at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves

delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M. To DAY No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 2nd April will be subject

All claims against the Steamer and be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 2nd April, or they will not be recognised. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 2nd April. at 3 P.M. Consignees of Cargo from Middlesbro' and Hamburg will please take notice that, before delivery can be obtained, they must sign the average Bond which is lying at the office of the undersigned, and paya deposit of 12 % on the net value of their cargo for contribution to General Average

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 26th March, 1892.

TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO, EX O. S. S. CO.'S S.S. "LAERTES." FROM LIVERPOOL. SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 2nd April.

for shipment per steamer "MYR MIDON." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hougkong, 28th March, 1892.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consigness risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on tersignature by the Undersigned and to take imand after the 29th inst. Goods undelivered after the 4th April will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods mustamined at 11 AM on the 5th April.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, 28th March, 1892. "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE. THIE Steamship "GLENESK'

having arrived from the above ports, Consignous of Cargo by her and by the S.S. Glenearn from Autwerp are hereby informed that their goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

the 30th met. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 4th April will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Con- Consigners' risk and expense into the Godowns signees are requested to present all claims for of the Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Com-WHE Undersigned having been appointed damages and/or shortages not later than the 11th pany. Limited. Wanchai. Agents for the above Company, are April, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 30th March, 1892. AUSTRIAN LUOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-

TION COMPANY NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HODEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY, CO-LOMBO, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. 1HE Steamship

"THISBE" having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereb [483 informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into Sean, the Chief Manager of the late Opium the Godowns of the Wanchai Warehouse and Farm, with reference to the funds of the Storage Company, Limited, Wanchai, whonce Cheang Tek Kong See. A complete investigadelivery may be obtained. Consignees wishing to receive their Goods o the Wharf are at liberty to do so.

This vessel brings on Cargo: --From Trieste, ex S.S. Imperatrix and Milano transhipped at Bombay. Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon he has all along been doing his best, honestly To DAY, the 30th inst.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must sent in to the Undersigned before Noon on the 5th prox or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any afterwards as an advertisement for the period of Goods remaining in the Godowns after the Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & C.

115 Hongkong, 30th March, 1892. rhe china mutual steam navi-GATION COMPANY, MIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

> FROM LONDON, GLASGOW, LIVER. POOL AND SINGAPORE. ry the Company's Steamship ...

240 having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf bay:-"I have tried Bathwalla's Ague Mixture and Godown Company, Kowloon, whence de- and found it very useful in cases of well-marked livery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods -"It is a sate and reliable remedy." Surg.have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be Major Reporter :- "I have found it very effisent in to the Office of the Undersigned before | cacious. Noon on the 4th April, or they will not be

recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to amined on the 4th April.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Golowns after the 5th April will be subject to rent. to the contrary be given before 9 o'clook To-DAY. Hone koner ! laftour :--Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Honghong, Both March, 1802.

VESSELS EXPECTED

THE CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. R. Co. steamer Empress of China left Shanghai at lam, on the 3th March and may be expected at 9 a.m. on the lat April. THE INDIAN " Ett. The Indo Cring stanmer Chousana left Singapere at 4 p.m. on the 20th Murch and be expected on the 5th April.

The M. M. steamed Melbourne, with the French mail of Machit Min, left Singapore on Wednesday, the 30th Match, at 7 p.m. and may be expected here on or shout Widnesday, the APEH, in place of FRIDAY, 25th MARCH, as and Valuables, are being landed and stored at 6th April. This Packet binner plies to letters

MICROHANT STEAMERS The N. G. I. steamer Bisagie left Singapore on the 27th March and may be expected on the itimation is received from the Consignees be. 2nd April. fore 10 A.M. To-DAY (FEIDAY), requesting it to The P. & O steamer Aden left Singapore at p.m. on the 27th March and mak be expected The O. S. S. Co's steamer Myniden left Singapore on the 27th March and ray be ex-The China Mutual stormer Pakling passed the Canal on the 14th March. ?---The China Mutual steamer Mount bassed the Canal on the 28th March. The P. & O. steamer Lombardy left Bohbay

POST-OFFICE NOTICES

for this port on the 30th March.

The Postal Guide for 1892 wavised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory xxII. This is the only anthorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong./

The authorised List of Mails Assaulia. ougestion with this paper is the one published -twice each day in our Exten, which is corrected ro a much later hour than that given below.

For Swatow, Amoy, and Tam: ui.-Per Haicong. to-day, the 1st inst, at 11.30 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama.—Por Verma, to-day, the 1st inst. at 11:30 A.M. For Singapore Batavia, Somarang, an Sourabaya.—Per *Borneo*, to-day, the lat insti

For Shanchai.—Per Gloncok, to-day, the 1st For Shanghai -Por Thisbs, to-morrow, the 2nd iust., at 9,30 'A M. ' For Straits and Bomby .- Por Venetia, tomoreow, the 2nd just, at 11.30 A.M. For Shang mi. Per Ashington, to-merrow." the 2nd inst., at 3.39 P.M.

For Swatow and Bangkok.-Per Logich, on Tuesday, the 5th inst., at 9.30 A.t. For Yokohama and San Rancisco,—Per Belgic, on Tuesday, the 5th first lat 0.30 p.m., For Singapore, Penang, and Jaloutia.—Per Tapan, on Tuesday, the 5th inst., at 2.31 P.M. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet School will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 2nd April. with Mails for the United Kingdon Europe. and countries beyond, via Brindilish to the Straits Soltioments, Butavia, Barmah, Ceylon,

Registry ceases at 4.00 r.m. The mail doses at A Supplementary Mail will be closed at a.m. on Sunday, the 3rd April The Post Office declines all responsibilly for Unregistered Covers containing Bank lotes, Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registratio has heen neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such covers.

India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., &c.

NOTICES TO CONSTANEES. FROM HAMBURG, PENING, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

Captain L. Madson, having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counmediate delivery of their goods from alongside. - Any cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Longkong and be left in the Godowns, where they will be ex. | Kowloon Wharfand Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consigness' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 4th April will be subject

All broken, chafod, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th April, at 4 P.M. No Pire Insurance has been off acted. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Agents: Hongkong, 28th March, 1892. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. NHE Steamship

"JAPAN' Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice having arrived from the above ports. Consignees to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. To-DAY, of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impediag the discharge or remaining on board after the 2nd April will be landed at No Eire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO., Hongkong, 31st March. 1892.

AN APOLOGY THE PROSECUTION OF THE OPIUM FARMER.

T BEG to express through your ollumns my deep regret that I should in a harty moment, in consequence of my not being able to read or understand Chinese accounts, have commenced a prosecution against Mr. Koh Chang tion into the matter and a careful examination of the books and accounts have thoroughly convinced me that my suspicions were wholly From Calcutta ex S.S. Nube, transhipped at groundless, and that there has been nothing. whatever in Mr. Koh Cheng Sean's management of the business of the Opium Farm that is in any way reprehensible; and further, that and faithfully, for the benefit of the Cheange Tek Kong See.

I should be obliged if you would insert this letter in your correspondence column once, and one month, as I am saxious to undo as far as possible any injury I may have, through my hasty and unjustitiable action, inflicted upon Mr. Koh Cheng Sean.

OH TEK LEONG. Hongkong, 23rd March, 1892. URE FOR MALARIA AND INFLU-

DR. H. L. BATLIWALLA'S' AGUE MIXTURE AND PILLS. Most-'owerful Remedies for Malarial, Intermittent, ad Bilious Fever.

Surg. K. R. KIRTIKAR, Health Officer, Bom-Intermittent Fevers." Surg.-Major JAYKAR:

Sold in bottles, at 60 cents each, by R. S. ECHAPORIA, 14, GEARAM STREET. 12789 be left in the Godowns, where they will be ex- NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS.

Naither the Captain, the Agents, nor the OWNERS, will be LESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice of the following Vessels during their stay in CICEBO, Brit. str., A. George-Chinese. PAPA, Ger. bk., F. W. Thom-Siemesen & Co. PROPORTIS; British str., W. H. Farrand -Atn.

hold, Karbard in Ch.

TO LET TO BE LET.	NOTICES OF FIRMS
TURNISHED, "ROSE VIL WEST," BONHAM and Rose	LAS THAVE This Day Established myselfus
ROADS, or "The HOMESTRAD" Mo KELLETT RIDGE, from 'at May or earlier. "BREEZ. POINT," ROBINSON R from 1st May.	T D' COTE
No. 1. End House, "MOUNTAIN VIE "KOWLOON POINT," approaching con- tion, in suites or single rooms; three min	notice.
walk from Steam Ferry every quarter of hour. LAND for COAL STORAGE at W. POINT, deep water frontage, and of Kowlo	NOBLE, DENTAL SURGEONS, has change to "Dr. J. W. NOBLE," and w
GODOWNS, WEST. GODOWNS at Kowtoon Point. GODOWNS at East Point.	JOSEPH W. NOBLE Hongkong HERBERT D REQUA and CHAS. L. SNYDER Sings
Apply to SHARP & Co Welegraph Hons	HERBERT POATE 35, Brook & Grosven
Dongkong, 1st April, 1822	Hongkoug, let March, 1892,
TOUSE to let. No. (8: Hollywood Ro TUSCULUM MAGAZINE GAP. No. 2: SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 10: SEYMOUA TERRACE.	WE have This Day authorized Mr. FR. SMYTH, to sign our Firm per
Apply to DAVID FASSOON, SONS & Co Hongkong, 17 March, 1892	53 Hongword, Socii Maron, 1692.
A SMALL JODOWN at WANCHAI.	NOTICE OF FIRM. W. EDMUND THOMAS BOND admitted a PARTNER in our Fire
Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS Hongkon, 19th March, 1892	the 1st January, 1892.
TO LET.	NOTICE.
LINSTEAD & DAVIS	COMPANY, and Mr. J. P. COTTAM has appointed and will Assume Charge of
To LET.	BUSINESS from this date. HONGKONG TRADING COMPA Hongkong, 25th March, 1892.
CLAIGELLACHIE," with Stabling.	A FONG, PHOTOGRAPH Hasjust added to his COLLECT of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and Ph
19.11.00	of NATIVE TYPES, copies of which are obtain in his Studio or at Mesers. Kelly & Walsh's Ivory Miniatures of Superior Quality
TO LET, Bom 1st April, 1892,	of Excellent and High Finish. PERMAN ENLARGEMENTH of PHOTOS, and VIEWS reproductions of the same on Paper, Canvas Opal.
Apply 20. Line CARVALHO. Hongkong Sth March, 1899.	INSTANTANE: US VIEWS, GROUPS and I TRAITS are taken in any state of the west and all Permanent Processes, are executed
TO LET	STUDIO-ICE HOUSE LANE.
SE OND FHOOR and GODOWN No. 13, PRAYA CENTRAL. Apply to	FOR SALE.
Hongkong, 22nd May, 1891. TO LET.	Apply to MORE & SEIMUNI
DESIDENTIAL FLATS AND GO DOWN, BLE BUILDINGS.	Hongkeng, 29th March, 1892.
THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST	EXCELLENT MARSALA, in casks
FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.	VINO VERMOUTH FREEL. CORA, case. VINO GENSANO, in case.
POB CREST VICTORIA PRAK, overlooking both Sea ad Harbour, Near Tram. Fix Rooms, Two Juing Rooms, Tennis Court.	D MUSSO & CO
Apply L. DOWNES Hongkong, 5th March, 1892. [75	CHAMPAGNE, 1889 WRITE SEAL
TO LET. FROM 1ST APRIL. STILLINGFLETE."	\$25 per case of 1 dozen quarts. \$27 per case of 2 dozen pints. PAUL DUBOIS & 10.8
ROOFED Delached HOUSE, on PEAL ROOF, near the Albany. Apy to	S14 per case of 1 dozen quarts. S15 per case of 2 dozen pints. PONTET CANET.
HE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT'& AGENCY CO., LD. P grong, 7th March, 1892. 159.	PALMER MARGAUX.
TO LET. ESTRABLE Five-Roomed HOUSES to be Let at the Peak. Tennis Lawns	LORMONT. \$5.56 per case of 1 dozen quarts. \$6.50 per case of 2 dozen pints.
The Ches est Houses in the Colony. For particulars apply to	JOHN WALKER & SONS' OLD HIGHLAND WHISKEY. '9 por case of 1 dozen bottles. Also.
A. DENISON, 47, Queen's Road Bongkong, 13th February, 1892. 1659	CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s WINES AND SPIRITS. SIEMSSEN & Co.
TO LET.	Hongkong, 1st March, 1892. FOR SALE.
NOS: 9, 12, and 14, KNUTSFORD TER.	
Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY CO., LD. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1892. [702]	Corn Foil (dary).
TO LET. IMMEDIATE Possesions.	CARLOWITZ & Co Sole Agents for
HE HOUSE "CREGGAN" at the PEAR. Best position. Apply to	
M. S. SASSOON & Co. Hongkong, 27th November, 1891. [50	FOR SALE. BEST STEAM COAL.
BOARD AND RESIDENCE. OMFORTABLE BOARD and RESIDENCE, 1, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST. Terms	HE Undersigned beg to inform the Publi that they have been appointed AGENT
Mrs. STAINFIELD. Hongkong, 2nd November, 1891. 1336	in Hongkond for the SAI PANG and SA MEI COAL MINING COMPANY, of KoBi and are now prepared to supply COALS of the said Mines at the most reduced and moderate
COMFORTABLY FURNISHED ROOMS, with Board.	Samples of these Coals were duly tested b Mr. Andrew Johnston, Engineer Surveyor
Apply to Mrs. MATHER. 2. Pedder's Hill. Hougkong, 1st January, 1892.	and found, as per Certificate, to be clean an good burning Coal. An inspection is respectfully invited.
COMPANIA GENERAL DE TABACOS DE FILIPINAS,	Collieries' Avency, 21. Central Praya Hongkong, 4th November, 1891. [248]
MANILA	FOR SALE. 1 HORIZONTAL SUGAR CANE MILL
TOBACCO GROWERS AND MERCHANTS, AND	with one 40 H.P. N. Engine, Gearing and Boiler, Capable of Crushing 300 tons of Cana
MANUFACTURERS OF CIGARS, CIGARETTES,	per day. I Horizontal Sugar-Cane MILL, the Rollers are 26" in dia by 54" long, with one 25 H.P. N. Engine, Georing and Boiler Capable of Crushing 150 tons of Cane per day
AND CUT TOBACCOS.	with 2 Double Driving Engines. 1 Jis Chang to lift 3 tons, suitable for a Wharf or Lighter 1
ESTABLISHED 1881.	-6 H.P. N. Portable Borles and Engine with enlarged fire back for burning Wood or Coal Horizontal and Vertical Dervice Excesses

ESTABLISHED ISSI. EMERY TOOL GRINDERS handsomely Nickel-plated. MARCA DE FABRICA CAPITAL....

Medals, First Prizes, Diplomas of Honour, and First Order of Merit.

. Gold Medal at Paris, 1889.

Agents for Hongkong, Mesers. ARNHOLD. KARBERG & Co.

The Steamers of the Compania Trasatlantica Cutting LATHES. from Earcelous to Manila and vice versa will call at Lisbon every 22 days and will receive Cargo and Passengers there.

NOTICES OF FIRMS NOTICE. HAVE This Day Established myselfus MER CHANT and COMMISSION AGENI HANKOW. J. T. COTTON. Morohant Innkow, let March, 1892. NOTICE. THE Style of the Firm of POATE & NOBLE, DENTAL SURGEONS, has been inge to "Dr. J. W. NOBLE," and will be resented as under ---OSEPH W. NOBLE) Hongkong ifirbert d requas HAS. L. SNYDER Singapore 35, Brook Street. Grosvenor EERBERT POATE

NOTICE. AT E have This Day authorized Mr. FRANK SMYTH, to sign our Firm per Pro-W. HEWETT & CO. longkong, 28th March, 1892. NOTICE OF FIRM.

FR. EDMUND THOMAS BOND was admitted a PARTNER in our Firm on ist January, 1892. DEACON & CO. nton, 11th March, 4892.

FR. A. E. SKEELS CRASES to be . MANAGER of the Hongkong Trading PANY, and Mr. J. P. COTTAM has been inted and will Assume CHARGE of the NESS from this date. HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND LAMSUI.

FONG, PHOTOGRAPHER IEWS some NEW SCENES and Photos. Ports TO-DAY, the let April at NOON. TIVE TYPES, copies of which are obtainable Studio or at Mesers. KELLY & WALSH'S. ORY MINIATURES of Superior Quality and xcellent and High Finish. PERMANENT ARGEMENTH of PROTOS, and Views and ductions of the same on Paper, Canvas, or

STANTANE: US VIEWS, GROUPS and PORrs are taken in any state of the weather, all Permanent Processes, are executed on rate Termu. STUDIO-- TOE HOUSE LANE. 134 FUR SALE

FOR SALE. CELLENT ITALIAN CLARET, in CELLENT MARSALA, in casks... NO VERMOUTH FRLLI. CORA, in

NO GENSANO, in case. AT CHEAP PRICES. D MUSSO & CO. igkong, 18th March, 1892.

FUR SALE. LAS. HEIDSTECK'S CHAMPAGNE, 18:9 WRITE SEAL

Undersigned beg to inform the Public GEONG for the SAI PANG and SAI OAL MINING COMPANY, of KOBE,

RIZONTAL SUGAR CANE MILL, I Horizontal Sugar-Cane MILL, the A FIVE BARRELLED NORDENFELT following rates:-

MACHINE GUN. 450 Calibre. with Stand, Shield, Hoppers, and Fittings all complete and in perfect order. The Frame and Breech are 16 Centre Screw Cutting Brake LATHE, MACHINES, SHAPING MACHINES, Radial Drill (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed Port for the above places. ing Machines, Drilling Machines, Screw a discount of 10 per cent. from Return Fare. sizes. Horizontal and Diagonal STEAM WIN- from China and Japan to Europe. OHES, Patent STEAM WINDLASS S. Patent Through Bills of Lading issued for trans- Places of Europe. Awarded in Eight Exhibitions sundry Gold Steam and Hand Power Steering Gean, Steam portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports. Pumps, Steam Donkey Pumps, Centrifugal to San Francisco, to Atlantic and inland (ities Pumps, Steam Donkey Fumps, Centraligns to can granusso, w Administration and Charles, Weston's Patent Blocks of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Specie and Parcels autil 3 P.M., on the 5th April. (Parcels are not to be sent on board;

JACKS, Overhead TRAVELLERS, Hand Power Company's and connecting Steamers. DRIVING WHEELS. Shafting and Pulleys. I, Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. Hand Power Rice Shelling Machine. Hand the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages Power Steel Flour Mills, and the complete will be received at the Office until 5 r.m. same All orders should be addressed to the Sole plant of Powerful Laundry Machineur that day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to formerly belonged to the Hongkong Steam address in full; value of same is required. Laundry Co. Just arrived from Scott and Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-Brothers:-1-3 owt. Steam Hammen; Cylin- tined to points beyond San Francisco in the der 64" in dia. by 16" stroke. 1 Punching United States, should be sent to the Company's 11 HE 3/3 L. I.I. American Ship and SHEAR NO MACHINE, to Punch and Shear Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the 2" plates, and one 6" and one 7" Centre Screw Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For any further particulars apply to the Freight apply to the Agency of the Company, Machinery Godown, No. 3 Cross Lame, Wanohai, No. 72, Queen's Read Central. near No. 2 Police Station. Hongkong, 9th November, 1891.

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING VESSEL'S NAME. FUNG & BIG. FOR PREIGHT APPLY TO to be desparched. Palicorns Brit, etr. LONDON VIA SUES CANAL Butterfield & Swire On 5th inst. LONDON VIA PORTS OF CAUL. Knisow Brit, ate, Castle Arnhold, Karberg & Co. ... On or about 13th April. MARSEIGLES VIA SAIGON, &c. Natal Pren. str. Verron
BREMEN & PORTS OF CALL Sachsen Ger str. Sapuner Verron Massacrories Maritimes Meloners & Co..... On 3rd inst at 10 a.m. HAVRE, LONDON, H'sung Ac. Carmerthenshire Brit atr.

TRIESTE VIA SINGAPORE &c. Berenice Aus. str.

VANCOUVER, VII S'HAI, &c. Empress of China Brit atr.

SANFRANCISCOVIA Y'HAMA &c City of Peking Amer. atr.

SANFRANCISCOVIA Y'HAMA &c Belgic Brit str. Dodwall, Carlill & Co. On or about 11th inst. David Sussoon, Sous & Co. On or about 5th inst. Canadian Pacific R. Co. ... Arolabald On 16th inst. at Noon. P. M. S. S. Co.,... On 16th inst, at 1 P.M. Brit. str. 0, & 0, 8, 8, Co NEW YORK VIA SURE CANAL .. Tertar Brit. str. ... Bailey Bailey Dodwell, Carlill & Co._ On or about 12th inst. Josephus
William H. Smith. Amer. sh. Brown
Brown Router, Bröckelmann & Co. Renter, Brookelmann & Co. Dut. str. .. SAMARANG & SOUBABATA, &c. Borneo Klein Jardino, Matheson & Co., ROMBAY VIA SINGAPORE, &c. ... Bisaguo ltal. str. ... Carlowitz & Co Baccerini Venetia Brit. str. .. STRAITS & BOMBAY Creery P. & O. S. N. Co..... To-morrow, at Noon. Japon Brit. str. ... -Olifont STRAITS & CALCUTTA...... David Sassoon, Sons & Co. | On 5th inst., at 3 P.M. YOKOHAMA, V N'SAKI & KOBE. Verona Brit. str. Seymonr P. & O. S. N. Co. Brit. str. Webster Jardine, Matheson & Co... Webster Jardine Matheson & Co... To day, at 3 P.M. Thisbe Aus str. ... Divid Sussoon, Sons & Co. | To-morrow, at 10 A.M. Zindel... Ashington Ger. str.... Siemssen & Co..... Myrmidon Brit. str. ... Nelson Butterfield & Swire Hailoong Britt str. Roach SWATOW. Amoy, & Tameur Donglas Lapraik & Co..... SWATOW, AMOY, & FOODHOW ... Haiphong Brit, str. Hunter Douglas Lapraik & Co..... MANIUA via amov Brit. atr. Cobban Showan & Co... VESSEL ON THE BENTH VESSELS ON THE BEATH VESSELS N THE BE TH

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, YIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. - FOR SHANGHAI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.). THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship for Ningpo, Cheroo, Newchwang, Tienthi: HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGESZE). "VERONA." 1HE Company's Steamship 1638 Captain F. H. Seymour, will leave for the above Places TO-DAY, the 1st April, at Noon. "MYRMIDON. H. H. JOSEPH, Saperintendent.

Hongkong, 2 ist March, 1893 DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

"HAILOONG." Has just added to his COLLECTION Captain Reach, will be desputched for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, 30th March, 1892.

FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMA-RANG, AND SOURABAYA. THE Steamship " BORNEO." Captain Klein, will be despatched as above TO

DAY, the let April, at 8 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, 30th March, 1892. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-

TION COMPANY. STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE Company's Steamship

"THISBE! will leave for the above place TO MORROV the 2nd of April, at 10 o'clock A.M. For Freight or Passage apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 24th March, 1892. STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY, Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient induscment offers. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

VENETIA? Caplain T. F. Greery, will leave for the above. Places TO-MORROW, the 2nd April at Noon. H. H. JOSEPH. Superintendent. Hongkong, 29th March, 1892

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship "PALINURUS,"

Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 5th April. For Freight or Pagsage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. Hongkong, 29th March, 1892, U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFICMAILSTEAMSHIPCOMPANY THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER- Cincinnati, Ohio. LAND RAILWAYS, AND Touching, AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGHONG. CHINA Thursday, June 2

THE U.S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF PEKING" will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO VIA YOKOHAMA and HONO. LULU, on SATURDAY, the 16th APRIL, 1892, at ONE P.M. taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

RATES OF PASSAGE. FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS. To San Francisco, Vancouver, \ Victoria, Esquiment, New \$225.00 Westminster, Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoms. Portland, O. To Liverpool and London

To Havre and Hamburg\$335.00 Through Passage Tickets granted to Engand. France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

hat they have been appointed AGENTS RATES OF PASSAGE TO OVERLAND CITIES. FIRST CLASS.

DESTINATION Kansas City, Mc., Omaha, Neb.... 285.00 St. Paul, Minn., Minneapolis, Minn. 292.90 304.25 304.20 306.55 305.00 Toronto, Canada 309.95 307.45 Rollers are 30" in dia. by 72" long. Pittsburg. Penn 310,25 307,00 pe 40 H.P. N. Engine. Gearing and Nisgara Falls. N.Y. Buffalo, N.Y. 311.00 308,50

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Time is reckened from date of issue to date of e-embarkation at San Francisco. Passengers who have paid full fare, re-

For further information as to Passaga and

11527 Hongkong, 30th March, 1892.

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates

Captain Nelson, will be desputched as above MONDAY, the 4th April. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 29th March, 1892. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE LONDON, HAMBURG, AND ANTWERP,

HE Steamship "CARMARTHENSHIRE," or about MONDAY, the 11th of April. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, 19th March, 1892. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAD SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. BELGIC TUESDAY April 5 OCEANICTHUESDAY ... April 28 GAELICSATURDAY ... May 21 THE Steamship "BELGIC" will be dis-

patched for SAN FRANCISCO, via at ONE P.M., Connection being made at Yoko-RATES OF PASSAGE. PROM HONGKONG, FIBST CLASS.

To San Francisco, Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault, New \$225.00 Westminster, Port Townsend, Seattle, I acoma, Portland, O., To Liverpool and London \$325.00 To Havro and Hamburg\$335.00 Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of steamers.

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address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day pre-Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. Capable of Crushing 300 tons of Cane Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Md. 317.90 311.75 Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, 11th March, 1892. CUMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO. LOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA. MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA:

LONDON. HAVRE, AND BORDEAUX, N WEDNESDAY, the 6th April, 1892, at Noon, the Company's Steamship Screw Cutting Latties of various sizes. Slotting embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this Cutting Machines. Taps and Dies various This allowance does not apply to through Jares don as well as for Marsailles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon

> they must be left at the 'Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Comравуја ОЩсе. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 24th March, 1892 FOR NEW YORK.

'JOSEPHUS." Smithwick, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight apply to REUTER, BRÖCKELMANN & CO.

Hongkong, 12th February, 1892.

To-morrow, at 4 P.M.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA TION COMPANY. STEAM FOR. SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, VENICE. FIUME, AND TRIESTE (Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF. RED SEA. BLACK

SEA, LEVANT, and ADMIATIC PORTS.

JHE Company's Steamship "BERENICE" will be despatched as above on or about the 5th Cargo will not be received on Board after SPM. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 23rd March, 1892.

Captain Clark, will be despatched as above on THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAV GATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL J VHE Company's Steamship

'KAISOW." Geo. L. Castle, Communder, will be despatched as above on or about the 13th of April. For Freight apply to ARNII OLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, 29th March, 1892. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ PORT SAID. BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP. BREMEN, AND HAMBURG. PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;

YOKOHAMA, on TUESDAY, APRIL 5th, LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS hama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan | GALYESTON, AND SOUTH &MERICAN | AUTHORIZED CAPITAL,£1,000,000, THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT

SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE. N.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES IN RUSSIA.

O.N SUNDAY, the 3rd day of April, 1892, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship "SACHSEN," Captain H. Supmer, with Thomas Carmichael, Esq., Messes. Dent, MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALL- JOHN BUTTERY, Esq., Messrs. John Buttery ing at Genoa. Shipping Orders will be granted till 5 P.M. on C. B. STOART-WORTLEY, Esq., M. P. for Hallam. the 1st April, Cargo will be received on Board until I P.M. Specie and Parcels until 10 A.M. on the 2nd April. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency Office). Contents of Packages are required.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., _Hongkong, 31st March, 1892. 304.95 302.75 CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE, CHINA AND JAPAN.

Niagara Falls. N.Y., Buffalo, N.Y. 311,00 308,50 PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGHONG, 1892. Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Md. 317.0 311.75 (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.) EMPRESS OF CHINA. Saturday ... 16th Apr. EMPRESS OF INDIA ... Saturday ... 7th May. MPRESS OF JAPAN ... Saturday .. 28th May.

"EMPRESS OF CHINA." Captain R. Archibald, sailing at Noon, on SA-TURDAY, the 16th APRIL, with Her Majesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOUVER, VIA SHANGHAI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, and

RATES OF PASSAGE. (In Mexican Dollars). From Hongkong, First Class.

Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault. New Westminster. 225 339 394 Port Townsend, Scattle, Tacoma, Wash Portland, Ore., San Francisco. Ganff, Calgarry, Alba.... 255 383 447 Winnipeg, Man . 275 413 482 To Minneapolis, St. Paul. 285 428 499 Duluth, Minn Chicago, Ill., Kansas City, St. Louis, Mo Milwaukee, W18 Detroit, Mich. Cincinnati; Cleveland, Columbus, O Hamilton, London, Toronto 3, 305 458 534 Buffalo, Niagara Falls., N.Y. Kingston, Ottawa, Ont., Mon. treal. Quebec, Que. New York, Albany, Troy, Rochester, N.Y. Baltimore, Md., Philadelphia, > 310 465 543 Pittsburg, Pa. Washington, D.C., Boston, Mass., Portland, Ma. Halifax, N.S., St. John, N.B. Liverpool and London via Li-325 575 650 verpool Paris, via Liverpool and Lon-Havre, via Liverpool Bromen. Hamburg, ,,

2nd class steamer and 1st class on rail, and 2nd class steamer and rail, also Steerage Fares and Rates to other places, quoted on application. The Steamers call at Victoria to land and embark Passengers. Return Tickets .- Time limit for prepaid return ticket is reckoned from date of issue to date of re-embarking at Vancouver. Through Passage Tickets granted to England. France, and Germany by all Trans-Atlantic lines

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China or Japan, and to Government officials. CARGO.—Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Ports, and to Canadian and United States Points. CONSULAR INVOICES of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of D. E. BROWN, Assistant General Freight and Passenger Agent: C. P.R. Vanconver. B.C. PARCEIS must be sent to the Company's

Office with address marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day pravious to sailing. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to E. HOLLOWAY,

Hongkong, 20th March, 1892.

General Agent.

HISM BY T R. LESTH WAVIGAZIONEGENERALEITALIANA FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.

-STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND BOMBAY, Belgio, Briti-h str., 2,695, Walker, Mar. 28, to ADEN, SUEZ. PORT SAID MESSINA. NAPLES (LEGHORN), and GENOA; all MEDITERRANEAN. ADRIATIC, LOVANTINE, and Bourg ' AMERICAN PORTS up to CALLAO. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD. THE Company's Steamship

. Baccerini, Master, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 9th April, at Noon. At BOMBAY the Steamers are discharging in VICTORIA DOCK. For Further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 29th March, 1892. "MOQUL" LINE OF STEAMERS,

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. 4 IHE Stonmship 'TARTAR." Bailey, Commander, will sail on or about TUES DAY, the 12th instant, instead of as previously

advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 1st April, 1892. TAPIER JOHNSTONE'S

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Hongkong, 18th February, 1892. TE ONGRONG & SHANGHAL BANK. ING CORPORATION. RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROP'TORS...\$10,000,000

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Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection. and Transacta Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application. E. W. RUTTER, Manager. Hongkong, 26th October, 1891.

SHIPPING IN PORT HONGRONG

TEAMERS. Activ, Danish str., 355, H. Hygom, Mar. 26 O & O. S. S. Co., for San Francisco Benlawers, British str., 1,513, Webster, Mar. 30, Gibb, Livingston & Co Berenice, Austrian str., 1.740, Mersa, Mir. 21. David Sasson, Sons & Co., for Trieste. &c. Borneo, Dutch str., 1, 6', H. Klein, Mar. Sl. Jardine, Matheson & Co Changsha, British str , 1, 163, Willaws, Mar. 91, Butterfield & Swire, for Shanghai Ching Ping, Chinese str., 525, Crawlie, M ... C. E. & Mining Co Cicero, British str., 1,030, A. George, M. Спіпеве

Deuteres, German str., 1198, Dinse, Mar. 2 Siemssen & Co. Diamante, British str., 514, J. L. Gerard, Feb 8. Shewan & Co Donar, German str., 1,015, Grundmann, Mer. 3 Wieler & Co. Drot, Norw. str., 2,189, H. Hansen, Mar. Sl Chinese Esang, British str., 1,127, G. Payne, Mar. 31 Jardine, Matheson & Co., for Shanghal Fatshan, British str., 1,425, H. C. & M. Steam boat Co., for Canton Gledesk, British str., 2,216, Webster, Mar.

Cosmopolit, German etr., 552, Scheefer, Mar. 2

Wieler & Co

Jardine, Matheson & Co Hailoone, British str., 783, J. Rosch, Mar. 29 Douglas Lapraik & Co., for Tameni Haiphong, British str., 1,122, Hun'er, Mar. 31, Douglas Lapraik & Co., for Coast Ports Hankow, British str., 2,235, Lloyd, Butterfield & Swirs, for Canton Heungshan, British atr., 1,054, Brook, June 20, H. C. & M. Steamboat Co., for Macao Honam, British str., 1,344, G. B. Lefavour, H. C. & M. Steamhoat Co., for Canton Japan, British str., 1,915, J. G. Olifon', Mar. 30, David Sassoon, Sons & Co., for alsores Kiungobow, British & .. 288, A. Cra asiging. H. C. & M. Steam out Co. Loo Sok, British str., 1,020, A. Bonson, Mar. 29 Yuan Fat Hong Montanes, Spanish str., 222, V. Venen, Mar. 16

Nanshan, British etc., 805, Blackburne, Mar. 31, Hop Hing Hong Pasig, British str., 284, Chinese, for Canton Pilet Fish, British str., 717, Stopani, H. & W. Dock Co. Powan, British str., 1,812, S. W. Gogrin, H. C. & M. Steamhat Co., for Carrie Tai On, British atr., 769, Golelouski, April 21; Chinese, for Canton Thisbe, Austrian str., 1,789, Kossovic's, Mur. 24 David Sassoon, Sons & Co., for B mb y Torrington, Brit. str., 1,563, Borwick, Fe . 2,

Dodwell, Carlill & Co (if required.) Every home comfort. Bracing Venetia, Brit sh str., 1,609, T. Cr., y, Mar. 27, P. & O. S. N. Co. Verona, British str., 1.3.8. Seymour, Mar. 28, P. & O. S. N. A. fr Janan Wingsang, British str., 1,517, A. de St. Croix, Feb. 19. J., Math. son & Co.

SAILING VESSELS. Altoir, British bark, 309, T. Munro, Mar. 25 Hans, German sch., 120, Hansen, Dec. 2, Black. Jennie Hirkness, Amr. bark, 1,80 . Am bury, Mrr. 17. Gilmin & Ja-John Wesley, Ger. 3t., 240, Schnieler, Mar. 17, Siemawn & Co Josephus, Amr. ship, 1,490, Smithwick, Jan. 27, Runt r. Brookelmann & Co., for New York Nam Shun Shing, Chin se 31m. sch., 245, Lot Li Teng, Sept. 25, Yong Kee & Co Nicoya, Beitish bark, 5-4, T. Nords, Mar. 25 Wieler & Co Papa, German bark, 748, W. Tom. Feb. 19. Зівшеван 🕸 Са Wm. H. Smith. Amr. sh., 1,905, Brown, Mar. 16,

Jardine, Matheson & Co In Port on 23rd March, 1892. Elisabeth, German birk, 447, H. Kook, Mar. 9, Pasedag & Co Freeman, Amr. bark, 1,138, Dudley, Mar. 21,

Francis Cass FOODROW. In Port on 12th March, 1892. F. E. Sander, Amr. soh., 440, Chas. Roos, Mar. 9, Master Haitan, British str., 1,182, Bathurst, Mar. 12 Jardine, Mathesen & Co Hever, German str, 338, Nielson, Mar, 5, Minchin & Co Rews, British bark, 445, Kalweit, Feb. 21, Walter Si gfried, British bark, 3)1, Haussen,

SHANGHAL.

In Port on 26th March, 1892 Akashi, Japanese str., 840, Trennt, Mer. 26. M. B. Colliery Andrine, Amr. 4- ", ship. 2,616, Smith, Mar. 12, C. & J. Trading Co. Asia, British ship, 1,398, Hilton, Mar. 26, C. & J Trading Co. Bellerophon, Brit. str., 1,356, Guthrie, Mar. 24, Butterfield & Swire Chihava Mere, Jap. bark, 433, Fujiki, Mar. 21, Mitsui Busson Kaishin Chintung, Chinese str., 835, Winsor, Mar. 24, C. M. S. N. Co. Chi-yuen, Chinese str., 1,211, C. R. Null, Mar. 25, Courser, Amr. son, 340, Colby, Mar. 24, S. C. Farnham & Co Denbighshire, Brit. str., 1,664, Vyvyao, Mar. 24, - Dodwell, Carlill & 🖰 o Fee-chen, Chinese str., 643, Plumbach, Mar. 26, Chinese Telegraph Co Fushiki-maru, Jap. etr., 1,119, Barstow, Mar. 26. Nipp o Yusen Kaisha Hilda, British soh., 306, Gebrk, Jan. 3, Nils Hoihow, Sritish str., 896, Baxendale, Mar. 24, Butterfield & Swire Hein-ya, Chin se str., 1,027, Lancaster, Mar. 25, C. M. S. N. Co. Kiangping, British str., 892, Holnes, Dec. 23 C. M. S. N. Co Kow hing, Brit. str., 1,355, Balbernie, Mar. 26 Jardine, Matheson & Co wangles, Chinese str., 1.508, Licoln, Mar. 23, C. M. S. V. Co. K weivang, Brit. str., 1.037, Outerbridge, Mar. 24. Batterfield & Swire Macduff, British & r., 1,882, E. Porter, Mar. 21 Dodwell, Carlill & Co. For 12 months, 45 per Cent. per Annum up to N tal. Fr neh str. 2,556, Verron, Mar. 18, Mess peries Multimes Pali urus, Br tish str., 1,540, Jackson, Mar. 24. Britte field & Swire Partieg. British str., 1,109, T. Gyles, Mar. 17. Batterfield & Swire Pokin, British ste., 2,133, P. Haeris, Mar. 16, (P,A,O,B,N,G_0) Saobsen, German str., 2,5°5, Supmer, Mar. 23, Satsums, British bark, 364, Sues on, Mar. 2 Morris & Co Si-ngan, British str., 1,654, Price, Mar. 25, Butterfield & Swire Smith, Chinese str., 703, Jordan, Feb. 23, Hopkius, Dunn & Co-Tai Lee, German str., 828, Calender, Mar. 25, Art hold, Karberg V Co. THE Basiness of the above Bank is conducted. Taku. British str., 608, Roupe, Mar. 21, Jardice, Matheson & Co. Tameni, Brilish str., 919, Sutherland, Mar. 23 Butta field & Swire Vladimir, Ru sian str., 517. Bollman, Jan. 21.

> .. M. B. Koisha Yuensaur, British str., 1,106, Innes, Mar. 23, Jardine, Matheson & Co NAGASARI. In Port on 2ard March, 1893 Asagae, Japanese atr., 1,568, Selek, Mar. 22, Mitaui Bishi Colliery Hiogo-maru, Japanese str., 897, Arsi, Oct. 15, Nipion Yusan Kaisba Kozasi-maru, Bige, 400, Kagiwa, Nippon Yosen kaisha Milke-marn, Jap. str., 2,053, Macwillen, Mar. 18, Nippen Yuson Raishia Novik, Russim str., 11, Maximoff, Nov. 3 Holme, Ringer & Co. Orphen , British str , 1,461, Linklater, Mar, 19, & & J. Trading Ca Phra Naug, Srit ser. 1.021; Watton, Mar. 22, Holme, Pin er & Co Tokin Mayu, Jap. str., 1,958, Kenderdine, Har. 18, Nippon Yusen Kalsha

Woosning, British str., 1,109, Harris, Mar. 26.

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